

U.S. Unleashes Jets Against Viet Cong

Cold Wave Hits North Louisiana

By FRANCES PHILLIPS
Staff Writer

A cold front which dumped three inches of snow on Shreveport and left a Negro woman dead moved into northeast Louisiana this afternoon bringing heavy snow and a sharp dip in temperatures. Freezing temperatures are predicted for the Monroe area for tonight and Thursday, together with the possibility of more light snow.

The U. S. Weather Bureau issued a hazardous driving warning today for all of north Louisiana and parts of southern Arkansas.

The cold front is moving east across Louisiana, preceded by rainfall, and bringing flurries of snow in its backwash.

Shreveport was virtually paralyzed by the snow and ice this morning. An unidentified Negro woman was killed when she apparently slipped and fell on the ice while waiting for a bus, according to police.

All schools in Caddo and Bossier Parishes were closed because of the icy roads, and the

Officials of Ouachita Parish and Monroe City schools confirmed at 2 p. m. that both systems schools would remain open Thursday.

Byrd High School football banquet, scheduled for tonight, was postponed.

The Shreveport weather bureau expected the snow to stop during the afternoon as the front continued moving eastward.

Monroe's forecast calls for temperatures between 18 and 20 tonight, with Thursday's warmest reading no higher than 40 degrees. The mercury may drop even lower on Thursday night.

SNOW HERE
A few light snow flurries were sighted here around noon, but more snow was reported elsewhere in the area.

Snow fell from 10:15 until 11 a. m. in Homer, and the ground is still covered by snow and sleet, although the sheriff's department said that all roads were passable.

In Bastrop, there was no snow this morning, but reports listed a "pretty strong northeasterly wind" and a little rainfall.

Farmerville also had a little snow around 11 a. m., that melted as soon as it hit the ground. Temperatures were below freezing with almost no wind.

A hard snowfall was reported in Arcadia about noon, while Ruston had high winds but no snow or rain.

Northerly winds ranging from 15 to 25 m.p.h. are expected to gradually diminish by Thursday.

Temperatures in Monroe took a sharp dip during the morning, dropping a quick 10 degrees. At 9 a. m., the reading was 45 degrees. In 40 minutes, the temperature had dropped to 39, and it was 35 at 12:30 p. m.

Bayou DeSiard Near Pool Stage; One Foot To Go

Bayou DeSiard was less than a foot away from pool stage today as water flowed out of Lake Bartholomew into the bayou near Sterlington.

French L. Smith, manager of the Utilities Commission, said Bayou DeSiard measured 70.20 feet this morning. Pool stage is 71 feet.

A pump installed on Bayou Bartholomew by the Department of Public Works was still running, pumping water from Bayou Bartholomew into Lake Bartholomew.

This, coupled with rainfall, started the flow into DeSiard, which is Monroe's water supply.

But A. P. Andrews, assistant district engineer with the Department of Public Works, said the pump probably would be cut off soon. S. C. Smith, district engineer, had a meeting scheduled today with the Utilities Commission manager to discuss the pump project.

Another pump installed by the state on Bayou Bartholomew hasn't run yet because of difficulties.

But once Bayou DeSiard reaches pool stage, the pumps on Bartholomew won't be needed. DeSiard suffered from a drought last year and hasn't reached pool stage in two years.

Bomb Blows 'In Keeping' With Policy

Increased AF War Said Justified By Congress Resolution

WASHINGTON (AP)—The State Department said today that the use of U.S. Air Force bombers against Communist forces in South Viet Nam is in line with a U.S. policy "of continuous action that is appropriate, fitting and measured."

Press officer Robert J. McCloskey told a news conference that the operation announced by the U.S. Embassy in Saigon today had been carried out specifically because of the concentration of Communist guerrilla fighters in the An Khe area of central Viet Nam. The An Khe first strike was made last Thursday.

McCloskey said the introduction of the Air Force jet warplanes into the operations in South Viet Nam was consistent with a congressional resolution of last August supporting "the determination of the President as commander in chief to prevent any further aggression" in Viet Nam.

U.S. officials continued to play down talk about early peace negotiations. Officially, McCloskey declined to answer questions on this general subject.

In response to inquiries about the U.S. attitude toward calls abroad for a negotiated peace, officials said the first order of business from the U.S. point of view is for the Communist forces to stop their operations against South Viet Nam.

Officials also said the United States has never taken the position that it opposes a conference in principle, but has taken a position that conditions were not right for a successful peace negotiation.

The use of U.S. jet planes inside South Viet Nam marks another change from the position that this country's armed forces are there to advise the South Vietnamese rather than fight the war themselves.

The South Vietnamese pilots, trained by the U.S. Air Force for 10 years, have mastered relatively simple planes like the Skyraider, a propeller driven craft they used to raid Communist North Viet Nam earlier this month.

But U.S. Air Force officers consider the South Vietnamese fliers still quite a distance from being able to handle the much more complex, faster jets.

Thus, whatever jet missions are flown in South Viet Nam against the Communist Viet Cong must be flown by American pilots.

CAUSE-FLAGS

American Air Force, Marine and Navy officials long have argued that jets should be employed in Viet Nam for maximum effectiveness against Communist positions.

At the outset of the U.S. involvement in South Viet Nam's war for survival, Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara and other U.S. authorities held rigidly to the public position that Americans were in South Viet Nam to help native forces repel Communist aggression — not to fight themselves.

A favorite sentence which used to appear in McNamara's public utterances said, in effect, "It is Viet Nam's war and the Vietnamese will have to fight it."

But as the war has intensified, and the government cause has seemed to flag, the United States has become more and more directly involved. The official posture of the United States as a mentor rather than a combatant has changed gradually.

The announcement from Saigon spoke of F100 and B57 jets being flown against targets in South Viet Nam.

Both can carry a much heavier load of bombs, plus rockets and machine guns, than can the Skyraiders which have been the standard attack planes in South Viet Nam for at least the past year.

'It's The Law' Starts Today

The News-Star today begins a new feature — "It's The Law In The Twin Cities" which highlights different facets of the law by answering questions.

Today's first installment can be found on page 7A. Read this and the many other informative and entertaining items in today's News-Star.



FLANKED BY police officers, 82-year-old Mary McRae, is escorted out of her New Orleans home following her arrest as an alleged madam of a call girl operation. Miss McRae told newsmen

she had "been in the business" since she was 15. With the elderly woman (from left) are policewoman Helen Lee, patrolman X. Viola and Sgt. John H. Hughes Jr. (AP Wirephoto)

23 Women Arrested In Orleans Raid

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Three women police described as madams—one of them 82 years old —and more than 20 call girls were arrested late Tuesday night and early today by vice squad officers following a seven-week undercover investigation.

Mary McRae, 82, one of the three women police say are madams, told reporters "I've been in the business since I was 15."

SWING CRUTCH

The women charged between \$50 and \$125 for their services, said Lt. Frederick A. Soule Sr., commander of the vice squad. "Most of them hold respectable daytime jobs also," Soule said. "In fact, one of them is a housewife."

Kay Roberts, identified by police as the coordinator of the call girl operation, swung one of her crutches at a photographer and had to be restrained by police when she was being booked in the 6th District station.

The third woman police said was a madam, Doris Norton, alias Doris Wright and Nora Wright, was arrested at her home in an exclusive section of the city near Lake Pontchartrain.

Some of the women were in tears when they arrived at the 6th District station to be booked. Others laughed and joked with police and newsmen.

Miss McRae, police said, has a long record of vice arrests. The call girls ranged in age from 18 to 32, Lt. Soule said. There were three arrests made in neighboring Jefferson Parish.

Lt. Soule said all of the call girls were "part timers" in vice activity.

OVER 10-YEAR PERIOD

Bus Department Deficit Reported

By SAM HANNA
Political Editor

The Monroe bus department has lost \$731,081.71 in the last 10 years, including a modern-day high deficit of \$101,220.16 in 1964, audits in City Hall disclosed today. Records show that the deficit, which has been sustained by the city's general fund for years, was chopped to \$48,241.59 in 1960, but jumped to \$83,964.88 in 1961.

Finance Commissioner H. W. McSherry, who said he would issue a statement later, explained that revenue was down, but expenses were up.

He explained that revenue dropped from \$219,105.16 in 1963 to \$216,412.26 in 1964 when the deficit soared to \$101,220.16. The deficit was \$74,238.84 in 1962 and \$76,818.93 in 1963.

While the deficit was on the increase, McSherry said expenses were increasing also.

He said operator salaries were up \$3500, mechanic salaries up \$3500, gasoline and oil up \$1800, materials and repairs up \$5,000, depreciation up \$2400 and pension fund up \$2600.

McSherry said he attempted to cut back on expenses by shortening bus routes, but he pointed out that fewer people were riding the city buses now because of an increase in automobile fares.

The last increase in bus fares came in 1957 when they increased from 10 to 15 cents, but McSherry said he doubted whether an increase now would help the deficit. He said he believed an increase would chase more riders away.

McSherry, after examining the department's records, said he feared revenue would be down again this year. Mel Cook, secretary-treasurer, was working on a bus department report this morning covering the first five months of the current fiscal year.

Here is a breakdown on the bus department deficit, since 1955:

1955 — \$46,359.70; 1956 — \$78,264.19; 1957 — \$72,952.42; 1958 — \$71,978.12; 1959 — \$77,042.88; 1960 — \$48,241.59; 1961 — \$83,964.88; 1962 — \$74,238.84; 1963 — \$76,818.93; 1964 — \$101,220.16.

LATE BULLETINS

Indefinite Delay

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals granted today an indefinite postponement of its hearing of Jack Ruby's appeal of his death sentence for slaying presidential assassin Lee Harvey Oswald.

Asks 'Flexibility'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield of Montana said today that President Johnson must be allowed "as much flexibility as possible" in dealing with Viet Nam.

Chou Gives View

TOKYO (AP)—Premier Chou En lai of Red China said today no settlement of

the Indochinese crisis can be successful without the complete, immediate and unconditional withdrawal of U.S. military forces from the area.

Vote Bill Near

WASHINGTON (AP)—White House press secretary George E. Reedy said today he expects President Johnson to send Congress a message on voting rights in a few days.

Hunt Glider

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP)—Search craft combed a section of Atlantic Ocean near the equator today for a polka dot space glider that disappeared after a scorching suborbital flight.

Neutral Stand

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet Union is likely to advocate neutralization of South Viet Nam at any international conference on it, diplomatic sources said today.

Envoys Meet

WARSAW, Poland (AP)—Ambassadors of Communist China and the United States met today in a session that diplomats here said could influence the crisis in Southeast Asia.

Twin Shooting

MOBILE, Ala. (AP)—The homes of a civil rights leader and the mayor of Mobile were fired upon Tuesday night. No one was injured.

Report Several Strikes In Last 6 Days

Rapidly Rising Casualty Toll In Mountain War

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP)—The United States has unleashed jet planes for the first time against the Viet Cong in South Viet Nam, a U.S. Embassy spokesman announced today. They have made several strikes in the last six days.

B57 medium bombers and F100 fighter-bombers, with Americans manning both flight controls and the weapons joined the air war previously carried on by armed helicopters and propeller-driven planes handled jointly by Americans and Vietnamese.

The spokesman said the decision was "in keeping with the announced United States policy of providing maximum assistance to the government of South Viet Nam in its efforts to repel the Communist aggression directed and supported by the Hanoi regime."

9 WOUNDED

The first strike was made last Thursday against Red guerrillas holding a mountain pass near An Khe in the central highlands.

The spokesman said another attack was made today in that area, 210 miles north of Saigon. The Viet Cong have inflicted relatively heavy casualties on government troops around An Khe with a series of ambushes in the past week.

Restraints on the U.S. jets were released at the request of the Saigon government, the spokesman said. He declined to reply when asked if restraints on other U.S. forces — naval units for instance — were also being removed.

Military authorities refused to reveal the exact number of American jets now based in South Viet Nam. It is believed as many as 200 have been on hand at peak moments in the past.

Battles between powerful Viet Cong units and government outposts continued sweeping across mountainous Binh Dinh Province today, with a rapidly rising casualty toll.

In the past three days of fighting in that northern province, the Americans alone have lost two killed and nine wounded. Vietnamese casualties on both sides are estimated in the hundreds.

Most of the fighting is in steep valleys where roads furnish the main communications routes for government forces.

Many U.S. officials feel the action in Binh Dinh and the neighboring provinces of Phu Yen and Quang Ngai has entered a phase the Communists describe as "mobile warfare" — the use of large Communist units in patterns somewhere between guerrilla and conventional warfare.

This type of fighting characterized the final phase of fighting between France and the Communists in the Indochina war, which the Communists won.

A report from da Nang, 380 miles northeast of Saigon, said a Vietnamese government force routed a Viet Cong unit five miles south of the Da Nang base runway. The report said five Viet Cong were killed and 11 captured.

The clash occurred at Zen Ne Nam along a river where the Viet Cong are digging trenches and building fortifications as part of an apparent effort to close in on the base.

Another report from Da Nang said 15 elephants sighted in the area are believed to be part of a wild herd. There had been speculation that the elephants were being used by the guerrillas to move supplies and equipment.

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POLICE CHIEF Gaston Michel, right, and Captain Robert O. Ackerman, study gambling manual confiscated in a raid on a teen-age casino operation in Haworth, New Jersey. Police said two 16-year-olds and one 17-year-old operated the game in the basement of a private home. The youths were arrested as juvenile delinquents. (AP Wirephoto)

Two Burglaries Cleared Here

Two burglaries were cleared late Tuesday with the apprehension of two men by the Monroe police and Ouachita Parish sheriff's departments.

Samuel Irving, 30, and Echo Aaron, 26, both of 827 Bethune St., Monroe, were booked in connection with the Feb. 16 burglary of Carroll Junior High School on Renwick Street. A record player, reported taken in the burglary, was recovered with the apprehension of the two.

In other action, Jerry D. Walls, 26, 401 Browning St., Monroe, presently being held in the Ouachita Parish jail on counts of forgery and theft, admitted the Dec. 2 burglary of the Golden Pheasant, Sheriff Bailey Grant said today.

About \$100 was taken from vending machines in the tavern, located at 405 Walnut St., Monroe. Entrance to the lounge was gained by knocking a hole in the north wall of the partition separating it from another business.

A 15-year-old juvenile was apprehended in connection with a shoplifting incident at Gibson's Store on Louisville Avenue. The juvenile was turned over to his mother pending action by the juvenile court.

Charlie Hilliard, 37, 316 N. 19th St., Monroe, was released on a bond of \$500 after being booked by Monroe police for driving while under the influence of intoxicating beverages, reckless driving and hit-and-run driving late Tuesday.

West Monroe officers booked Troy Stewart, 52, 809 Cypress St., West Monroe, for DWI and running a red light.

A 15-year-old West Monroe youth, Bill Landry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul P. Landry, 112 Bradley St., was taken to the Glenwood Hospital late Tuesday after he broke an arm while playing speedball at the West Monroe High School.

Mrs. Joe LaPietra, 109 Texas Ave., Monroe, today refuted a statement by a man arrested earlier in connection with an armed robbery, saying that he, Milton Cupit, did not reside at that address.

Cupit, arrested by the sheriff department for armed robbery of Hughey Smith Saturday night, listed his address as 109 Texas Ave., where his sister lives.

Mrs. LaPietra said Cupit's sister rents a room at her home, but Cupit does not reside there.

A fire late Tuesday destroyed a frame house over the levee at the intersection of Park Ave. and Riverside Dr. The occupant

Rep. Gallagher Opposes Negotiated Settlement

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Cornelius E. Gallagher, who recently made an inspection trip to South Viet Nam, said today negotiation with the Communists under present conditions would be capitulation.

The New Jersey Democrat, a member of the Foreign Affairs and Armed Services committees, said "if Peking and Hanoi remain intractable in their right to subvert a free government in violation of our existing agree-

ments, what is there to negotiate except the abandonment of freedom?"

It was learned from a congressional source that while Gallagher initiated the idea for the speech, he prepared key parts of it in consultation with State Department officials at the highest level. It therefore was viewed as representing an indirect reply by the administration to some who have been urging a course of negotiation in the Viet Nam crisis.

'Back To School' Night Scheduled At Neville High

"Back to School Night" has been scheduled at Neville High School at 7 p.m. Thursday.

The event is to bring together parents, teacher and Neville freshmen to discuss the school's program.

Guidance counselors Hil-ton Lytle and Miss Katherine Douciere are directors of the program.

About 105 eighth grade girls from Lee Junior High School were to visit the Neville home economics department at 2 p.m. today for a pre-registration demonstration.

Neville seniors were to conduct tours through the department, showing the various phases of homemaking taught at the school.

Tuesday Sen. Thomas J. Dodd, D-Conn., assailed proposals for disengagement in Viet Nam as "new isolationism."

Sens. Frank Church, D-Idaho, and George McGovern, D-S.D., are among those who have urged a peaceful settlement of the stepped-up conflict.

Gallagher's speech was prepared for delivery in the House today.

He said, "It is difficult to accept the reasoning of those who advocate... a so-called negotiated peace in Viet Nam. It is even more difficult to rationalize the statements of those responsible citizens who urge withdrawal from South Viet Nam. This we must view in the harsh light of political realism as a first step towards ultimate abandonment of the free nations of Southeast Asia to Communist control."

Gallagher added: "Certainly we must keep open the door to

negotiation, but shall we fall on our knees and hammer on a door that was slammed in our face? If we are not to negotiate from fear, let us not negotiate either from a position of 'peace at any price.'"

He asked: "Can anyone seriously believe that neutralization of South Viet Nam would not mean immediate Communist takeover there and a new battle beginning in Thailand the next day?"

"The advocates of such a policy must understand that our abandonment of commitments to protect freedom in Southeast Asia is a recognition that we expect Communist China to absorb all of Southeast Asia. Are we prepared for some future negotiations for the partitioning of Hawaii which is on the collision course of the Communists on their way to Seattle?"

Senior Citizens

The Senior Citizens Club of Monroe will hold its regular meeting at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at the Benoit Recreation Center on Oaklawn Drive. A birthday party for all members born during February will begin at 4 p.m.

In 1848, Congressman John Quincy Adams, former president, collapsed on the floor of the House of Representatives. He died two days later.

Termite Trouble

BATON ROUGE (AP) — The State Bond and Building Commission learned it paid \$75,000 during the administration of former Gov. Jimmie H. Davis for a termite-troubled building to house a state trade school in Hammond.

The commission okayed Tuesday \$32,400 for repairs, dipping into a \$60,000 reserve originally set up for equipment.

Member Leon Gary of the State Board of Education, backing the \$32,400 request, said the school might qualify for enough in federal funds to make up the money lost for equipment purchases. Gary said the school was close to the NASA industrial complex at New Orleans.

The commission approved the money transfer after Carlos Spaht, the governor's executive counsel, said there was nothing else to do.

the house was Roy H. Carter. Origin of the flame was believed to have been in the kitchen.

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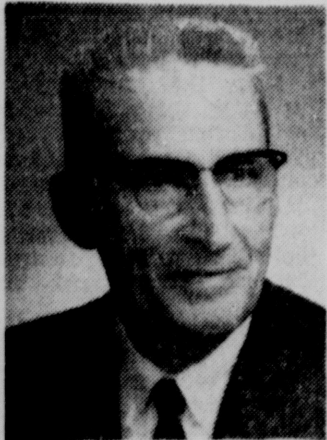
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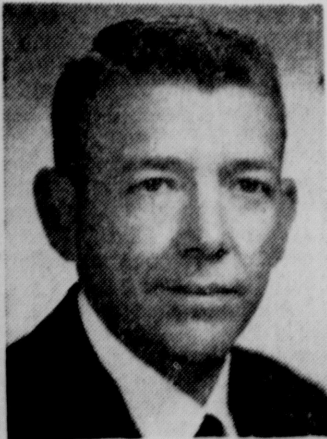
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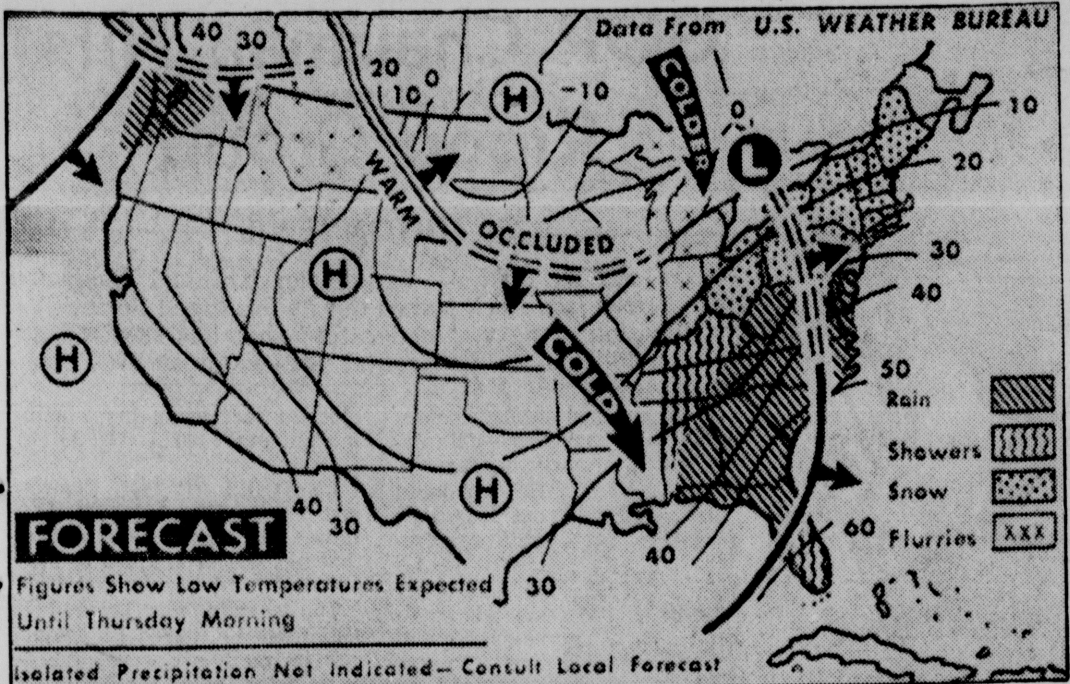
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from the Lakes to the eastern Gulf coast and the southern Plains, but warmer in New England and from the Plateau to the upper Mississippi valley. (AP Wirephoto Map)

ULBRICHT ARRIVES

Nasser Welcomes 'Man Of Peace'

CAIRO (AP) — East German President Walter Ulbricht was welcomed today by President Gamal Abdel Nasser on a visit that could lead to a diplomatic break between West Germany and much of the Arab world.

A 21-gun salute boomed out as Ulbricht's train rolled into Cairo's flag-becked station from Alexandria, where he had landed earlier in the day.

The shouts of greeting reverberated in the glass-roofed station as Ulbricht descended from the train and shook hands with Nasser.

After the welcoming ceremonies, Nasser and the East German Communist leader rode past thousands of cheering Egyptians to Kubbeh Palace. Once the palace of ex-King Farouk, Kubbeh is used to receive distinguished visitors.

Ulbricht had received a tremendous welcome to the United Arab Republic in Alexandria

earlier in the day.

Warships blew their sirens and Soviet-built MIG fighters screamed overhead as Ulbricht descended the gangplank of the East German liner Voelkerfreundschaft in Alexandria for a greeting from Vice President Hassan Ibrahim.

TWO LEADERS

Ulbricht and Ibrahim walked on a red carpet to the nearby railroad station and boarded a special train for Cairo, where President Gamal Abdel Nasser

had prepared a festive welcome for the East German Communist leader.

East German flags fluttered over Cairo and the emblem of the Communist regime decorated the Cairo railroad station.

Nasser scheduled a banquet tonight in Ulbricht's honor. Official talks between the two leaders start Thursday.

Hunt For Nazis

Will Continue

BONN, Germany (AP) — Chancellor Ludwig Erhard's government today changed its mind about giving up the hunt for Nazi murderers and said it would help Parliament to see justice done.

The Cabinet agreed unanimously, Erhard's spokesman said, that contrary to what had been thought up to now it is possible that new crimes may be discovered after May 8. Under present law, the hunt for Nazi murderers would end on that date, since virtually no prosecutions could be undertaken after

Muslim Probe

On 'Right Track'

NEW YORK (AP) — A top detective, reporting investigators are "on the right track" toward solving the slaying of Malcolm X, said he would confer today with the district attorney's office.

Asst. Chief Inspector Joseph

L. Coyle, in charge of 50 detectives assigned to the case, declined to elaborate.

Only one person has been arrested from among five believed to have participated in the slaying of the Negro black nationalist spokesman Sunday as he started to address a meeting in Harlem.

Coyle said that one phase of the investigation was concentrated outside of New York City, but he declined to say where.

WEATHER

NORTHEAST LOUISIANA FORECAST — Showers ending early today. Windy and much colder today with highs in the 30's. Clearing and colder tonight with freeze and lows 22 to 26. Fair and cold Thursday with highs 40 to 44. Northerly winds 15 to 25 mph, diminishing tonight and Thursday.

LOUISIANA DELTA FORECAST — Showers ending early today, becoming windy and much colder this afternoon. High in 50's this morning with afternoon temperatures in 40's. Clearing and colder tonight with freeze; lows 24 to 30. Fair and cold Thursday.

OUTLOOK FOR FRIDAY ... Partly cloudy and not so cold.

LOUISIANA DELTA AGRICULTURAL ADVISORY — Drying conditions poor this morning, fair this afternoon and tonight and good Thursday. Dewpoints dropping into the teens and 20's tonight. Little or no sunshine today and near 75 per cent sunshine Thursday. Showers ending this morning with amounts up to one quarter inch. No precipitation indicated this afternoon through Thursday. Winds shifting to northerly 15 to 25 mph today, diminishing tonight and Thursday becoming variable less than 10 mph Thursday evening.

MONROE READINGS
 High yesterday 64
 Low this morning 50
 Sunset today 6:22
 Sunrise Thursday 6:06

PRECIPITATION
 Rainfall yesterday 0
 Total so far this month 4.85
 Total since Jan. 1 7.16

A YEAR AGO
 High temperature 60
 Low temperature 34

Merchants

West Monroe's Downtown Merchants Assoc. will meet at 7 a.m. Thursday in the West Monroe Chamber of Commerce office, according to chairman Roy Tauzin. The group will plan major promotions for the coming year and discuss financing of their programs.

TWIN CITY CHIT-CHAT

(more CHIT CHAT page one)

Another Victim

The "flu bug" claimed another victim in West Monroe this week.

Mayor J. Allan Norris is being confined for a few days by his doctors, but hopes to return to the office about Friday.

Man-Planning To 'Straighten' Crooked Road

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — An Albuquerque man is threatening to blast away part of a mountainside bordering a curving highway if something isn't done about straightening curves and improving visibility on the road.

Hollie King, 58, has started drilling holes in the mountain to sink his dynamite in case the New Mexico Highway Department fails to meet his deadline of April 10.

"This is a state secondary road 17 feet wide and it has 56 curves, 11 of them very hazardous," King said. "One could go off a curve and land in a canyon 150 feet down."

Although the property is not his, King said he planned the blasting on ground the U.S. Forest Service was not maintaining safety in the Cibola National Forest through which the highway — New Mexico 10 — runs.

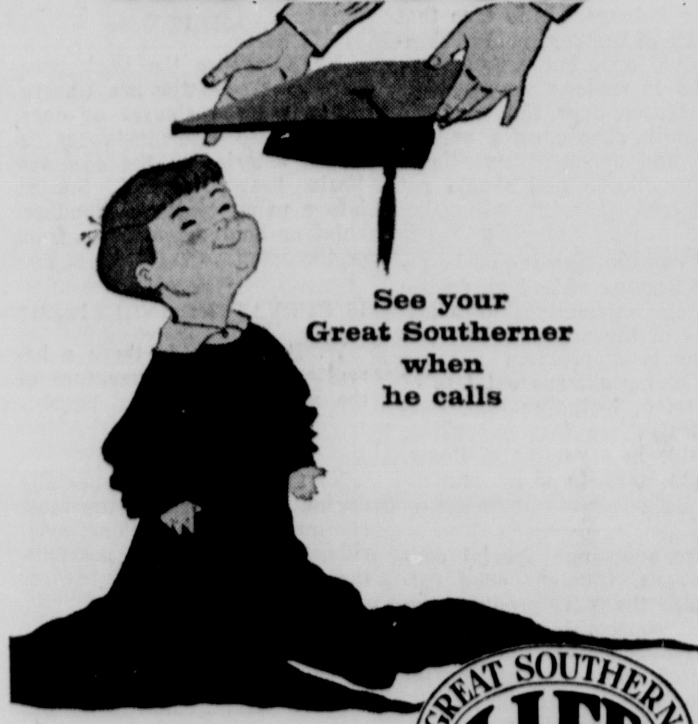
The road is a few miles east of Albuquerque in the Manzano Mountain range.

T. B. White, chief state highway engineer, said a \$660,000 project to widen and straighten

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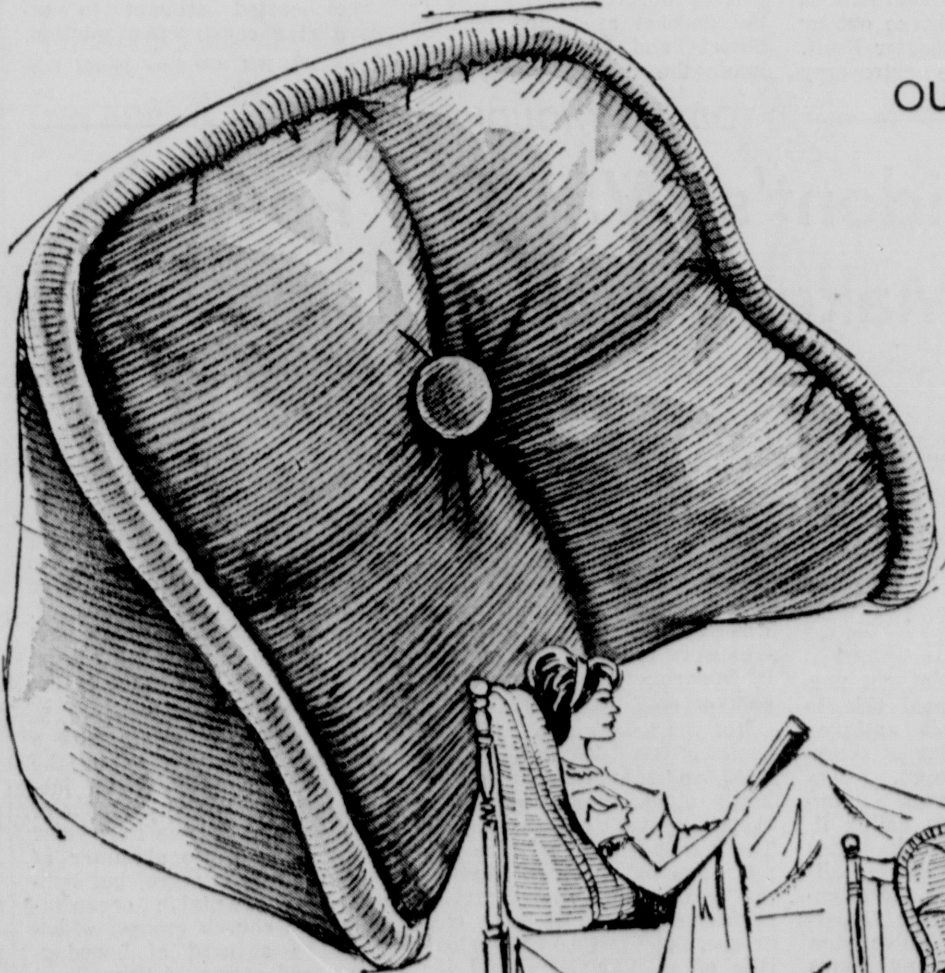
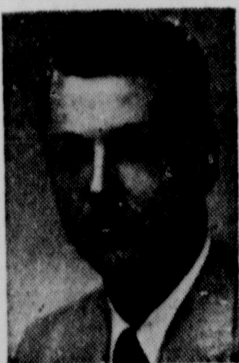
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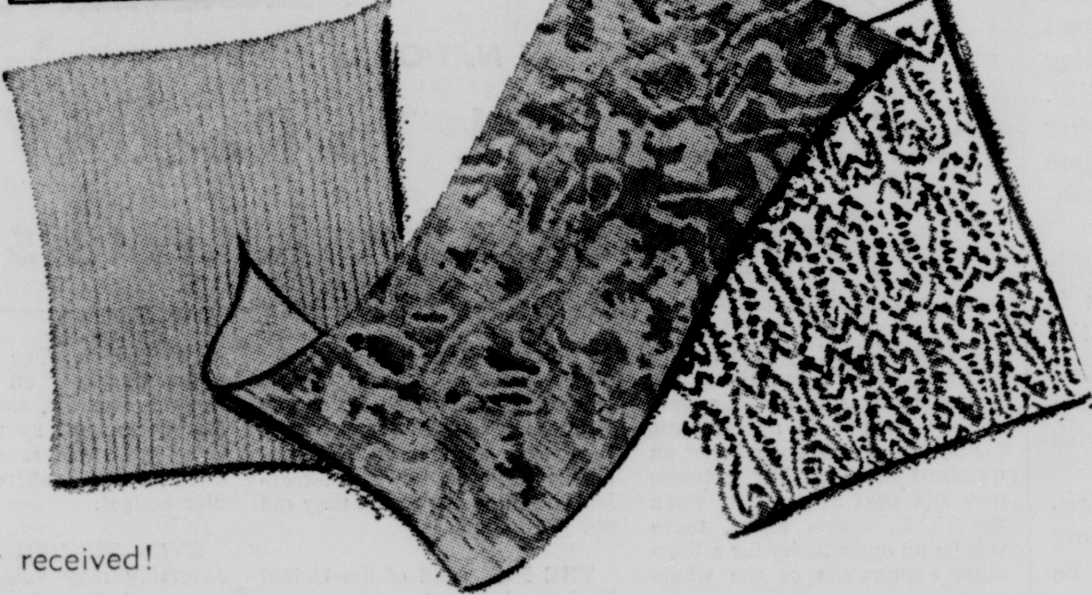
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New 'Isolationists'

History can play odd tricks on people. Remember the non-interventionists of the late 1930's? They were referred to as the isolationists who wanted the United States to remain neutral in World War II.

Now a sort of neo-isolationist sentiment is growing. But it's in the ranks of those who were all for intervention 25 years ago. Does this mean there are those who were ready to commence firing at Nazi aggression but now see communist aggression as something less dangerous?

In some cases, the voices which seem to have ridden a swinging pendulum indicate no more than that. But there are others who have followed the route of intervention — which they favored two decades ago — carefully enough to realize how overly extended it has become.

Senator Frank Church of Idaho has pointed to our stationing of troops in 30 countries, our pledge to defend 42 and extending aid to nearly 100 as evidence of over-extension.

The senator notes that our intervention in Europe was necessary and welcome in the lean years following World War II. The western European countries still share our concept of government and in those days they realized the need of protection against Soviet Russia.

But almost everywhere else in the world, those conditions don't apply. For the masses in Africa and Asia and to some extent in Latin America, our institutions of government and economy are without meaning and practical usage. Thus when we try to counter communism in such areas, we are faced with apathy or disturbances from the very people we are trying to help.

In this respect, Senator Church on his side of the aisle of political thought appears to agree with the more conservative students of foreign aid represented by Louisiana's Congressman Otto Passman.

As for what to do about it, America has fumbled for a policy

since the Korean War. It boils down to the fact that we cannot hold a line against world-wide aggression on the one hand and talk co-existence on the other.

As some of today's pro-neutralists see it, we should work toward negotiations with the communists over such areas as South Viet Nam and the Congo. But this is a rather gloomy prospect since virtually all areas so neutralized — Laos is an example — have aligned themselves with either Russia or Red China.

For some reason we appear to have brushed aside the matter of deciding where our interests as a nation are vitally concerned. Before the days of world governments and federations, this hard-headed sort of thinking was behind the diplomatic planning of all civilized countries.

Lack of such thinking is certainly a factor as to why we are allied to an unmanageable government in South Viet Nam. In that particular case, a figurative "Humpty-Dumpty" has already fallen from the wall — not once, but a number of times.

If the United States were to make decisions in Southeast Asia on the matter of national interest alone, we might figure on making a stand in some other locality. Right now, it appears it's either that or take over South Viet Nam with our own military government.

Meanwhile, another trouble with the new non-interventionists is their tendency to downgrade the seriousness of the communist threat closer to home. Certainly, if aggression is being fought with American advice — and blood — in Southeast Asia, the same aggressive force sitting 90 miles off Florida in Cuba should not be ignored.

If we cannot slam our doors on the world as the old-fashioned isolationists wanted to do, then our policymakers should devise some means of defense priority.

The American people cannot be expected to continue the support of those who have no particular desire to support themselves.

Penny-Foolish Champ

One adage warns us against being penny wise and pound foolish. But here is a story of a metal-smith on the West Coast who has earned the title of champion in the penny foolish bracket.

Five years ago, this man began cutting down pennies to the size of a dime. Then he used them in a turnstile to save 18 cents a day on a ferry ride to and from work.

When the law finally caught up with him, it was estimated that he had cheated for around 1,780 ferry trips.

Charges of defacing and passing United States coins in two instances were lodged against the man. He might do well to plead guilty since each violation could earn him a fine of \$10,000 and five years in prison. If convicted on all

possible counts, his own penny conversion scheme could put him where he'd never live to go free.

At any rate, he is in a position now to reflect on how great a matter a little fire may kindle. The deal carried so little potential for profit from the very outset. The metal worker fashioned \$177.80 in fake dimes at a cost of \$17.78. Not counting the time he had to spend in grinding and polishing the pennies, the net profit was \$160.02.

If carried to the maximum, his fines could come to the staggering total of \$17,800,000 and his prison terms could add up to 8,900 years. Here's a case where being penny foolish turned out to be one of the most monumental bits of folly on record.

Controls Cut Gas Reserves

More than a decade ago, the Federal Power Commission was required by a decision of the Supreme Court to assert jurisdiction over sales of natural gas transmitted across state lines. After all that time, the commission has yet to set up a legally-tested, workable system of rate regulation.

This has not been from a lack of trying. At the very beginning the commission set prices on a conventional utility, cost-of-service basis. Six years later, it decided this method was not appropriate with the explanation: "Producers of natural gas cannot by any stretch of the imagination be properly classified as traditional public utilities."

At that time, the commission turned to an area-pricing system. The nation's principal gas-producing territories were divided into 23 areas and ceiling prices were established in each.

This arrangement, too, in view of top authorities in the industry, has been a costly failure. In the

words of one petroleum engineer:

"The commission is trying to regulate an industry that doesn't need regulation in a way that it can't be regulated. Regulation in itself may lead to something the Federal Power Commission doesn't want — a curtailment of adequate supplies of natural gas."

Experience bears out the accuracy of this observation. The ratio of gas reserves to production, sometimes called the "years of supply," declined from 32 in 1946 to 18.7 at the end of 1963.

The basic trouble with operating through a federal commission is that gas production is a highly competitive business which does not lend itself well even to successful and constructive regulation. The one and only cure lies in new legislation and reversed court decisions that would allow the producers to operate free from useless and dangerous controls. This is the best route for gas supplies and reserves that will meet the soaring demands of the future.

Where We Stand In Viet Nam



— TODAY IN NATIONAL AFFAIRS —

Failure Of U.N. To Reach Vote May Bring Good Results

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON — The failure of the general assembly of the United Nations to reach a vote on how to handle assessments for peace-keeping costs is not an unmixed blessing. For between now and next September, when the U. N. meets again, there will be an opportunity for a thorough exploration of the whole subject.

Indeed, there's more than meets the eye in the Soviet Union's refusal to pay certain assessments and France's support of the Moscow view. The more the question is examined objectively on its merits, the more apparent it is that, far from opposing the Soviet and French views, the United States might well consider supporting the main points they have made.

The real issue is whether the U. N. is a super-government and super-state, or whether, as originally intended, it is to remain as an organization of sovereign states each of which may or may not consent to joint action in specific areas of the world where disorders occur. The public impression that the U. N. is an all-powerful body which can tell individual nations what to do is not borne out by the words of the charter itself. The odd part of the controversy

is that many people have not understood the basic points which both the Soviet Union and France have made concerning the attempt to impose assessments on them for peace-keeping operations in which they did not participate.

THE PHRASES of the United Nations charter bearing on this issue are by no means clear, and the position of the Soviet Union and France is certainly as logical as that which is taken by their opponents. Even adoption of recent suggestions for a change in the charter would not altogether settle the matter because the main principle at stake is whether the smaller nations in the world shall be permitted to use their voting majority in the general assembly to tell the big powers what to do despite the vetoes provided in the security council.

The charter says specifically that "the expenses of the organization" shall be borne by the members. But the question is whether an action taken by a numerical majority of the members automatically becomes binding on all the members of the general assembly even though it does not have the sanction of the security council. It is true that a member of the United Nations in arrears for two years on its regular dues can be deprived of its vote in the general assembly, but the Soviets and the French have made the necessary payments

on their dues. The controversy has arisen only on peace-keeping assessments, and no part of the charter says specifically that these are on the same footing as each member's share of the regular budget.

EVEN THOUGH the general assembly may vote, as it did, to accept the advisory opinion of the world court, this does not necessarily make the opinion binding, because only the words of the charter itself can perform that function. There is no legal stipulation in the charter that nations which are not participants in U. N. peace-keeping operations can be obligated to pay for these expenses.

The United States, therefore, has been trying to get some kind of "collective veto" established with reference to peace-keeping costs, and has suggested that each of the security council members which has a permanent veto — the U. S., Russia, Britain, France, and Nationalist China — should be a member of a special finance committee.

WHILE THIS may help in working out the difficulty, it seems certain that a further clarification of the whole question of peace-keeping costs will someday have to be made. That's why postponement of the debate until next September affords an excellent opportunity for thorough deliberation and a wholehearted attempt to arrive at a constructive solution.

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— TODAY'S THOUGHTS —

'President's War On Poverty' Makes Personal Title

By HOLMES ALEXANDER

WASHINGTON — You go news-hunting at Number 1200 on 19th Street, NW, and you are handed a stout brochure with the bold-faced label: "PRESIDENT'S WAR ON POVERTY."

If you're suspicious, as all newsmen should be, you wonder where Mr. President got personal title to this anti-poverty campaign. Congress simply called it Public Law 88-452, alias the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. You've been to the Pentagon many times without being handed a propaganda package labeled "LBJ's War in Vietnam."

You notice that Poverty or Opportunity is housed in a fine new office building, and although occupying only the 8th floor it is the sole tenant on the premises except for a first-story snack shop and a drug store. These empty spaces have the air of an invitation to "empire-building." You have seen new agencies like the Atomic Energy Commission, the Central Intelligence Agency and the Health, Education and Welfare Department expand from cottage-size beginnings to vast marble complexes.

THE OFFICE of Opportunity,

in a few short months, is now in its fourth General Headquarters, each one grander than the one before. You can't help thinking that an Administration shooting for "frugality" as well as for the moon, ought to start a War on Parkinson's Law of Bureaucratic Proliferation. And you think, maybe, there's a true word in the jest which jokes Opportunity Director Sargent Shriver as "the Poverty Czar."

But you poke around, meeting some of the warriors at this GHQ, and scanning some of the battle plans. Pretty soon your skepticism isn't quite so robust. The warriors are real nice people, some of them old pros in the writing and social service professions, some of them eager recruits for this truly idealistic effort. They aim to bring fellow Americans, especially boys and girls, up from the muck and slime of ungracious living where it takes more character than most persons have to become an upright citizen. You know that the suburbs and the country clubs also produce drunks, hopheds, murderers, thieves and tramps, but that's not a good reason for tolerating the slums and falling back on Marie Antoinette's formula for the poor: "Let 'em eat cake."

The Opportunity Act undertakes to remove down-and-out youngsters in the 16-21 age bracket from rotten environments and to put them into centers where they will work out doors. They also will take re-

fresher and pick-up courses in the three R's to overcome what's called "functional illiteracy." Maybe if lots of them learn to read, write and do simple arithmetic, a few of them will get jobs or go back to school. These centers are now opening all around the country. As many as 25,000 boys and girls will be in training by July, with 40,000 as the target by the end of 1965.

ANY CITY or county with a plan to offer courses in the three R's, and to set up job-training, can get 90 per cent of the cost paid for the first year. It's true that the shimmer of Federal cash is there, but hundreds of charitable organizations like church groups, which can't be accused of boondoggling, and scores of "heartless" corporations, like General Electric, Philco, International Telegraph and Telephone, Kaiser Industries and Litton Industries are giving time and equipment.

You have to expect a certain amount of weak-will sloganizing and, if you're like me, it sets your teeth on edge. VISTA is Madison Avenue blarney for Volunteers in Service for America. But you can't laugh off the 450 enlistees per month who want to serve in what started off as the Domestic Peace Corps.

Loans are going out to hard-up farmers and small businessmen, and even if only a pitiful few of the moochers turn their failures into productive enterprises, we've got a national gain.

— TODAY IN WASHINGTON —

GOP Chairman Hits Ripon Group

By FULTON LEWIS

WASHINGTON — Republican National Chairman Dean Burch last week lashed out at the Ripon Society, an organization of party "moderates" that has received national publicity by its frontal attacks upon GOP conservatives.

Burch charged society spokesman with a "slandering defamation" of the party leadership.

He wondered out loud how an "organization with 80 members" can win front-page headlines from coast to coast.

Investigation reveals the Ripon Society is a paper tiger. It lacks an office, even a telephone. Its president, John Saloma, an assistant professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, concedes that membership is less than one hundred. Saloma and Company have demanded a purge of conservative Republicans from positions of party leadership. Without such a purge, they warn, the GOP is doomed forever.

THE DIRE predictions of Ripon Society spokesmen should be placed in some perspective. Prior to the Republican National Convention, for instance, Saloma circulated among party "moderates" a detailed analysis of GOP prospects.

The nomination of Goldwater, he warned, would "bring on the wholesale slaughter of the Republican Party." He also predicted:

—Goldwater would not carry a single Southern state. (He carried five, sweeping into office seven new Congressmen.)

—Goldwater's nomination would guarantee the defeat of Republican governors in Michigan, Rhode Island, South Dakota and Montana. (All won.)

—Goldwater would mean the defeat of GOP Senators in Pennsylvania and Hawaii. (They, too, won.)

Even after the election, the Ripon Society has had difficulty in getting the facts straight. In a report published three weeks after the voting, the society stated that Goldwater's candidacy had resulted in the defeat of an unnamed "moderate" Republican Congressman from West Virginia. Actually, the state's only Republican Congressman, Arch Moore, was re-

elected, increasing his winning margin over 1962.

LEADERS OF THE Communist Party, USA, are ready to raise the curtain of secrecy that has obscured much of their activity.

The curtain was lowered in 1961 when the party, its leaders and its members were ordered to register with the Attorney General under provisions of the McCarran Internal Security Act of 1950.

COURT DECISIONS during 1964 invalidating certain sections of the law are considered so significant that party leaders feel there is now an excellent chance that the entire act will be nullified. As a result, CP leaders, for the first time in years, profess optimism for the future. A confidential government report reveals that party activity has been stepped up:

"This renewed spirit of rebellion is manifest in many ways. Although the party's constitution calls for a national convention every two years, the last convention, the 17th, was held in December, 1959. Party leaders postponed the 18th national convention indefinitely in 1961, because of legal action taken by the Government under provisions of the McCarran Act. Now, however, some party leaders are said to be in favor of holding the 18th national convention in December of this year."

Favorable court decisions are not the only reasons for the optimism of party leaders. They are encouraged by an increase — the first in many years — in the paid circulation of the party's major organs. They feel, too, that more and more non-Communists are receiving the party line (more than a million pieces of party literature were distributed during the Presidential campaign last fall).

PARTY LEADERS are also encouraged by the vast number of invitations they have received to speak at universities and colleges across the country. Such appearances enable party "spokesmen" to spread the party line, obtain recruits, and promote the illusion that the Communist Party is a legitimate political institution.

— ABOUT YOUR HEALTH —

How To Keep Well

By DR. VAN DELLEN

NUTRITION FOR THE ELDERLY

It is difficult and often unwise to change the lifelong habits of oldsters. My philosophy is to let them alone unless they are doing something detrimental to their health. Most problems along this line center about diet and almost every day I receive a letter from a worried daughter: "What shall I feed my 70-year-old mother who lives with us?"

The aged need fewer calories because they are less active. In addition, their basal metabolic rate is 10 per cent less than that of younger adults. There is no need for concern when they ask for smaller servings, provided they are not undernourished. There is no foundation for the belief that proteins should be lessened because they are "hard on the kidneys." It is true that the rate of tissue growth is slower in old age, but proteins are needed to replace worn-out tissues. Meats, liver, fish, chicken, skm milk, cheese, eggs, and cereals are excellent nutritional building blocks and should not be decreased with advancing years.

Fat consumption should be reduced because of its high caloric count and its relationship to hardening of the arteries. But this seldom is a problem because most senior citizens eat less of everything, including fats. Carbohydrates are less expensive, available in a variety of items, and are easy to chew and digest.

There are some special considerations. Oldsters need calcium and the dairy products are a good source. Iron deficiency is noted frequently but can be corrected by increasing the intake of green vegetables, cabbage, brussels sprouts, peas, beans, lentils, and meats. The vitamin need is supplied thru variety.

Roughage helps prevent constipation. The excessive use of salt should be taboo. And there is no harm in a glass of sherry before dinner and brandy as a sedative.

SHORT STATURE

K. V. M. writes: Can an operation be performed on a young man to increase his height one or two inches?

REPLY

Yes, but it is safer and much easier to be content with what he has. After all, many successful and influential people have been shorter than average.

Growth hormones are capable of increasing height but, for practical purposes, they are too difficult to obtain.

ENLARGED KIDNEYS

S. T. writes: My son recently had one kidney removed because of hydronephrosis. Will you say something about this disease in your column?

REPLY

This condition represents an enlargement of a kidney caused by an obstruction. Infection and the back pressure of the urine injure the delicate kidney tissues and removal of the organ is suggested when the damage is irreparable.

LET 'ER GO

L. R. writes: Is it harmful to suppress a sneeze?

REPLY

Yes, because the back pressure may send the nasal secretions into the sinuses or ears. There also are instances in which arteries in the eye and brain have ruptured. Sneeze into a paper tissue or handkerchief or hold the hand in front of the mouth.

IS CURVATURE INHERITED?

W. R. writes: Is there a hereditary factor in curvature of the spine?

REPLY

No. Poor posture, especially during adolescence, is the most common cause. Infections, arthritis, and fatigue are possibilities.

TODAY'S HEALTH HINT—

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Judge Is Named To Chair Event

Judge Mack E. Barham of the Fourth Judicial District has been named 1965 chairman of the Ouachita Parish committee for National Library Week, according to Miss Frances Flanders, parish librarian.

Miss Flanders will serve as vice chairman for the observance, which will be April 25 through May 1. The first full committee meeting will be held at 5 p.m. Thursday in the Louis Locke Room of the library.

The National Library Week program is a voluntary citizens' movement dedicated to the long-range goal of encouraging lifetime reading habits, increasing people's use of libraries, and expanding and improving the total reading and library resources of the nation.

Begun in 1958, National Library Week has received great public response and has become quite widespread. The program is now observed in more than 5,000 communities. It is sponsored by the National Book Committee, Inc., in cooperation with the American Library Association.

This year's chairman is a native of Bastrop and a graduate of Louisiana State University. He was elected to his present bench in 1961. Prior to that time, he was municipal court judge in Bastrop for 12 years.

He was elected to the latter position when he was 24 years of age, making him the youngest judge on record in the state.

Judge Barham is past president of the Juvenile Court Judges Association and the Fourth District Bar Association and past director of the Monroe Area Guidance Center. He is a member of the National Council of Juvenile Court Judges, the Louisiana State and American Bar Associations, the American Judicature Society and the Louisiana Law Institute.

He is also a member of the First Baptist Church of Bastrop. The judge is married to the former Ann LeVois of Beaumont, Tex., and they have two children, Bret, 17, and Megan, 14.

National Library Week subcommittees and their members, with the chairman named first, are as follows:

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JUDGE MACK BARHAM

Shepard's Ear Infection May End Space Career

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — Cmdr. Alan B. Shepard Jr., the nation's first man in space, isn't sure he will ever make another space flight because of a lingering ear infection that has knocked him off the Gemini eligible list. But he hopes he can whip the ailment in time to be considered for first manned flight to the moon.

Shepard said Tuesday he has received no encouragement from his doctors. He said the ailment hasn't been serious enough for him to lose a day of work, but he can fly now only when another pilot is along.

The illness first was noticed in June 1963, while the 41-year-old astronaut was driving from Co-coa Beach, Fla., to Cape Kenne-dy.

After treatments for five months, doctors thought the infection had been stopped. Last March, however, he came down with the same dizzy spells and a defect in hearing.

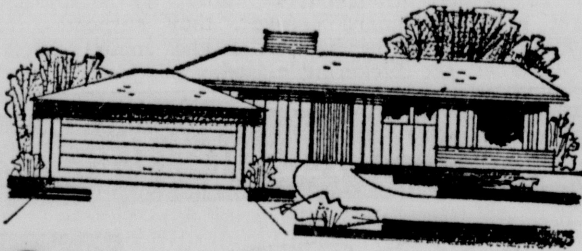
Experts Called In To Treat Frostbite Cases

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, (AP) — Two experts in the treatment of frostbite were called in from a military exercise in central Alaska to help a man who lived 78 hours under an avalanche.

Drs. W. T. Mills and W. Sud-gen arrived from Ft. Rich-ardson, near Anchorage, Tues-day to join Dr. James Wilson in attending Einar Myllyla of Win-nipeg, Canada, and Kemi, Fin-land.

Myllyla was uncovered Sun-day by a bulldozer smoothing a landing pad for rescue helic-op-ters at the avalanche-demol-ished Granduc mining camp 30 miles north of Stewart, B.C. he suffered frostbitten arms and legs.

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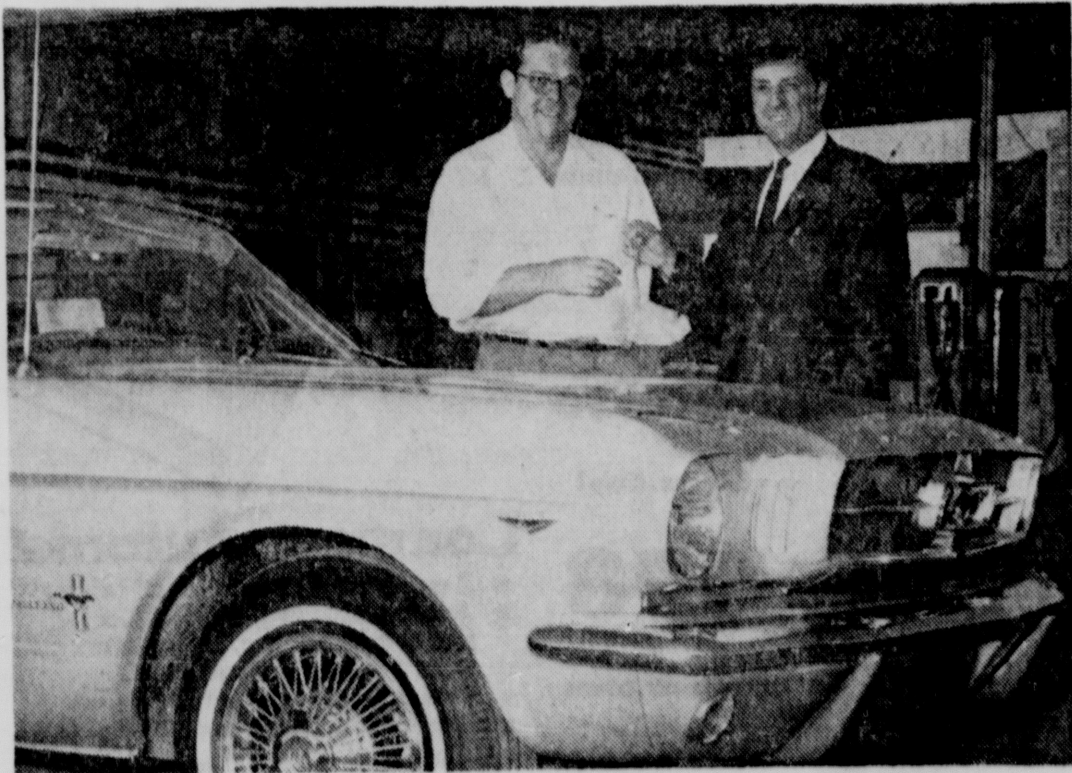
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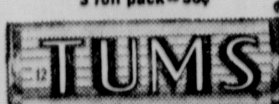
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PREPARING FOR AN archeological exhibit, being held at Ouachita Parish High School today through Friday, were four students of the Archeological Club of the school. Pictured with some of the artifact exhibits are, left to right, Louis Bernhardt, vice president; Bryan Smith, president; Gerald Moody; and James Clower, reporter. (Staff Photo by Richard Greene)

McKeithen To Inspect River Channel Project Aboard Boat

COLUMBIA (Special) — Gov. John J. McKeithen was scheduled to make an inspection today of the Ouachita River channel project aboard an Army engineers riverboat.

McKeithen came home late Tuesday to address the Caldwell Parish Farm Bureau, but

King Leaves Selma; Notes Bill Progress

By DON MCKEE

SELMA, Fla., (AP) — Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., leaving this racial hot spot temporarily, has called for continued street marches by Negroes in their intensive five-week drive to gain voting power here.

"We are going to march some more this week," said King at a church mass meeting Tuesday night shortly after an abbreviated march by more than 200 Negro students and children.

The students were summoned to another meeting today, and the Rev. James Bevel, left in charge of the drive, said there would be more demonstrations.

King, who left Tuesday night for Atlanta and a scheduled trip to California, said the campaign which has brought more than 3,000 arrests in Selma and nearby Marion would result in congressional approval of stronger laws on voting rights.

"I have been in touch with Washington," the stocky Negro leader told the mass meeting at Browns Chapel A.M.E. church, site of almost nightly rallies.

"And I think we are getting near now to the new voting bill. I am optimistic that the bill will be presented by the administration in the next few days."

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stayed over to make the inspection trip today from Jonesville to Columbia.

He plans to fly to Washington Friday to join an official Louisiana delegation for Mardi Gras festivities in the nation's capital.

McKeithen received a homecoming reception from the Farm Bureau at its annual installation supper Tuesday night where he said he was in hopes of locating a small industry in Caldwell Parish.

"We have hopes of getting a plant right here in Caldwell Parish," he said. "We're working on it now."

"Boys and girls have had to leave Caldwell Parish to make a living," McKeithen said.

For this reason McKeithen said his administration was attempting to develop a program to bring "small industries to the rural parishes of Louisiana."

The governor said the Board of Commerce & Industry employed Director William Hackett from the State of Mississippi since Hackett excelled in developing small industry for rural areas.

The Farm Bureau, meantime, re-elected Ausie Grigg Jr. as president for a second consecutive term to serve with Jack Keabey, vice president, and Mrs. Marvin Lafferty, secretary-treasurer.

from the red brick church located in a Negro housing project, they were confronted by Baker.

"Don't do this thing," said Baker, towering over John Lewis, leader of the march and chairman of the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee.

"A march of any kind at this time of evening is a very dangerous thing. I don't want any trouble," Baker said, "I am interested only in your safety."

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Irishmen Honor Rebellion Hero

DUBLIN (UPI) — Irishmen by the thousands paid tribute today to Sir Roger Casement, the nationalist hero whose body was returned to Dublin nearly 50 years after the English hanged him as a traitor.

Beginning early this morning large crowds gathered to file past the patriot's flag - draped coffin on a catafalque in the military church on Dublin's Arbour Hill, national shrine of Ireland's independence heroes.

Shortly before he was executed in London in 1916, Casement

said: "When they have done with me, don't let my bones lie in this dreadful place. Take me back to Ireland and let me lie there."

Only Tuesday was Casement granted his last wish. In a surprise move announced in the House of Commons by Prime Minister Harold Wilson, his remains were flown to Ireland.

The announcement brought joy to Irish hearts and throughout the night an honor guard of four soldiers stood by the bier in the light of six flickering

candles. The guard changed at 15-minute intervals as leading Irish figures arrived to pay their tributes, led by President Eamon De Valera, 82, and Prime Minister Sean Lemass.

Casement, who wrote in his cell that his execution would be "a glorious death for Ireland's sake," had been buried in Britain's Pentonville Prison alongside Henry Crippen, a notorious British murderer who poisoned his wife.

Flu Outbreak

WARSAW (UPI) — An outbreak of Asian flu in Warsaw has affected nearly 90,000 persons, it was reported Tuesday. The virus has been described as "mild" by authorities, however, they suspended hospital visits and some schools were closed.

Silent Screen Star Marries Blind Cripple

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "This is a marriage of mercy. I know it means a great deal to him to feel he has someone who wishes to be with him always."

With this explanation, silent screen star Mary MacLaren was wed Tuesday to blind, crippled World War I veteran Robert S. Coleman.

Coleman, 65, a former lion tamer, "is an interesting man and companionable. He tells me he loves me dearly," said the onetime film star, now 65 and silver-haired.

"I appreciate his gratitude for my care — and he appreciates

my companionship to the extent that he thought it would be better if we were married."

Miss MacLaren said she met Coleman three years ago after a friend told her of a blind veteran who had been beaten and robbed in his hotel room, was hospitalized and had no place to go.

"I brought him home and he has been at my house ever since," she said. Last year his right leg was amputated above the knee, she said.

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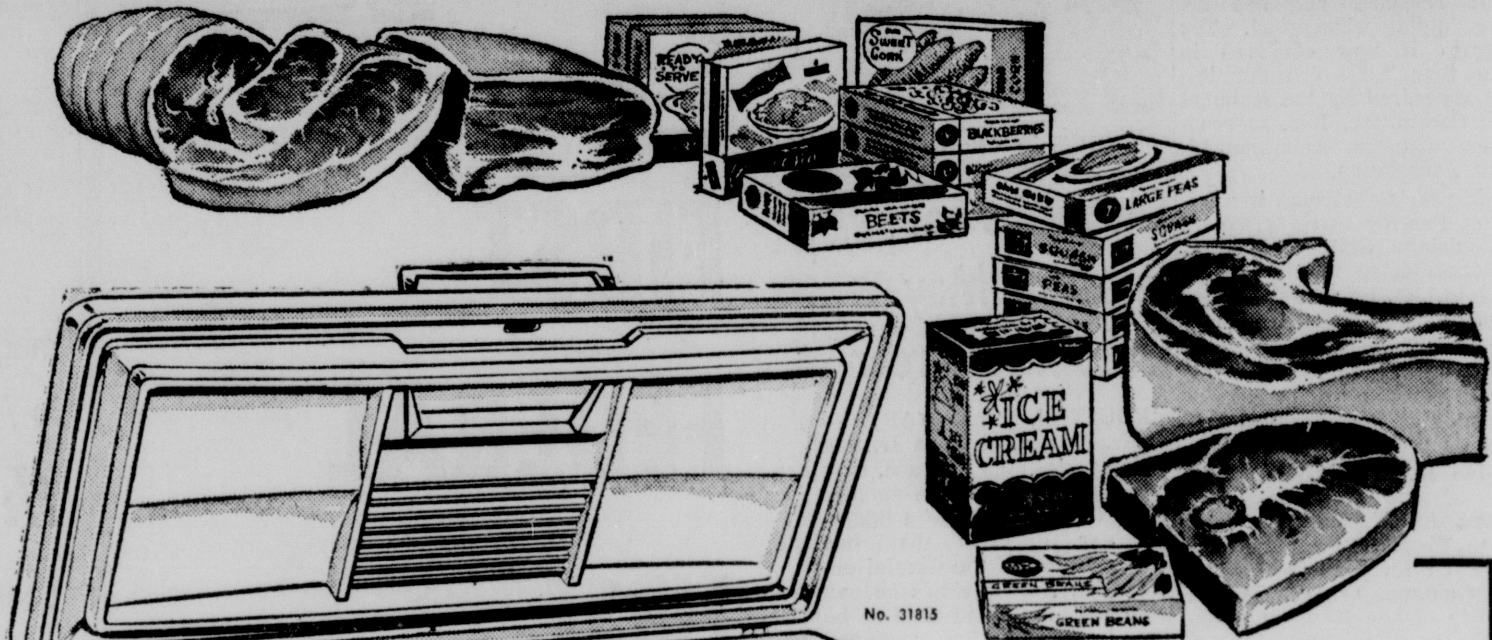
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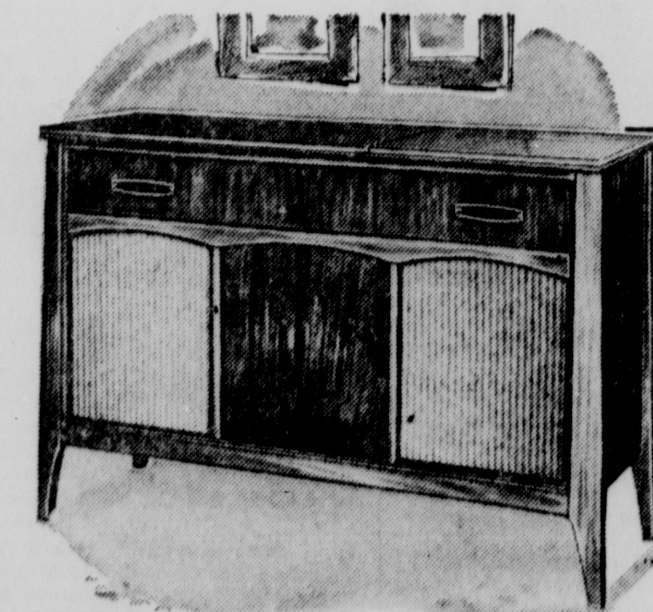
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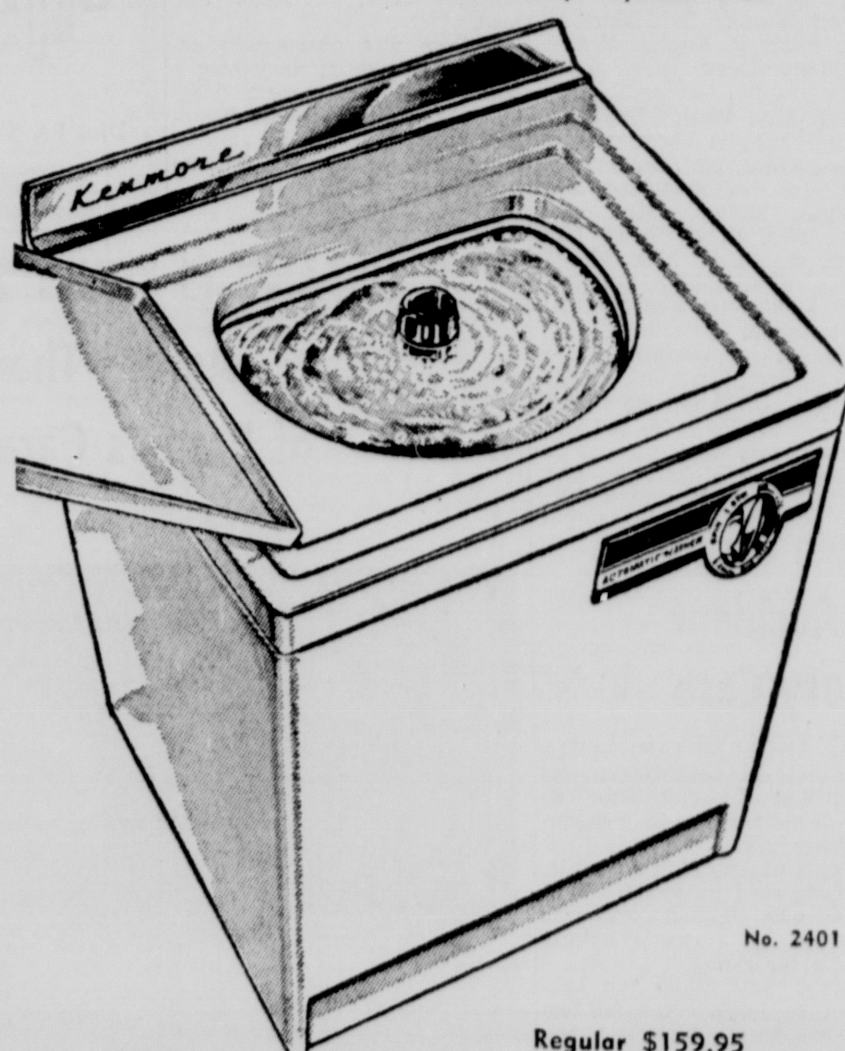
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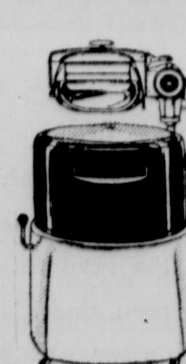
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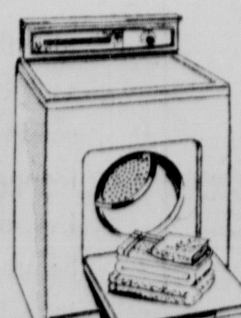
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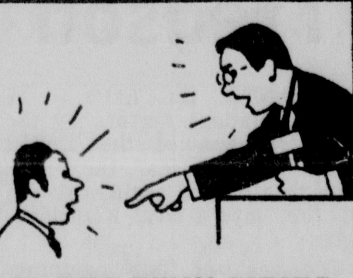


MAJ. GEORGE E. Sanders, a member of Northeast Louisiana State College's military faculty, marked completion of 20 years active Army service at an informal ceremony Tuesday. He will retire and move to Tulsa, Okla., with his wife, Fannie Marie. (North-east Photo)

CONSISTENT VOTING
CLOVIS, N.M. (AP) — Four candidates competed for two vacancies on the Clovis School

Board in 1963 and 2,606 votes were cast. Voters balloted again in February 1965 and 2,606 votes were cast.

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IN THE TWIN CITIES

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first in a new series on Twin City statutes. The new feature will spotlight local laws, answering questions concerning local ordinances. The series will be written by police reporter Bill Hardin.)

By BILL HARDIN
Staff Writer

What are the rules governing the flow of traffic at Twin Cities street intersections where flashing red and yellow signals are displayed?

Section 21-14 of the Monroe city code specifies that automobiles approaching intersections where electrically illuminated or flashing signals are displayed must not move into the intersection until it has been deter-

mined that no accident is possible.

If the vehicle approaches the intersection facing the red side, the driver must come to a complete stop not more than 15 feet from the intersection, then not move into the intersection until he is sure that no vehicle is approaching which may cause an accident or collision.

If the vehicle approaches the intersection facing the yellow side, the driver may proceed into the intersection only at a slow rate of speed and with the vehicle in full control.

West Monroe traffic regulations make the same provisions on entering intersections.

Hearing Set On Dock Strike

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — U.S. Dist. Judge Robert A. Ainsworth Jr., holds a hearing today on a request for a permanent injunction against striking dockworkers here.

The longshoremen have been back at work for more than a

week under a temporary restraining order and injunction issued by Ainsworth.

An informed source said both labor and management will ask Ainsworth to keep his order in effect.

Meanwhile, Louis A. Schwartz, general manager of the New Orleans traffic and transportation bureau, said the shipping congestion caused by the strike here "has eased completely."

Poverty Bill 'Dangerous,' Speaker Says

The federal government's education program being proposed in connection with the "war on poverty" was termed a dangerous piece of legislation because it "popularizes poverty" Tuesday night by Dr. John Lester Buford.

Dr. Buford, who will retire this year as superintendent of schools at Mt. Vernon, Ill., was guest speaker at a public relations banquet sponsored by the Fifth District Classroom Teachers Association at the Paragon Club.

He told the group that the program to assist the nation's poverty stricken people obtain education was not wrong, but the means by which it would be put into effect were not desirable because poverty could be used to get federal funds.

"Federal control is inevitably coming to us," he said. "As sure as there is federal support, there will be federal control."

Dr. Buford said he wasn't against welfare, but he was against people who feel the world "owes" them a living but put forth no effort on their part to try to "make" a living. He said that if people on welfare were denied the right to vote "then I'd like to see how the

government feels about the welfare program."

Miss Mary Alma Tompkins, president of the fifth District classroom Teachers Association, presided at the banquet. She is a teacher at the Sherrouse grade school in Monroe.

Dr. George Deer, dean of the junior division at Louisiana State University and National Education Association, director of Louisiana, introduced Dr. Buford.

C.T.A. officials recognized were Miss Tompkins; Mrs. Blanche Bruce of Rayville, vice president; Mrs. Irene Smith of Monroe, junior vice president; K. D. Everett of Bastrop, treasurer; Mrs. Virginia Melton of Delhi, recording secretary; Mrs. Sherrill Fraga of Rayville, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Mildred Patterson of Lake Providence, parliamentarian; and Miss Marianna Johnson of Monroe, reporter. Mrs. Paul Smith of Monroe was banquet chairman.

Classroom teachers, school administrators, school board members and "friends of education" from the 14 parishes in the district attended the event.

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CHARTER CEREMONIES set at the Frances Hotel Tuesday night marked the addition of the Swartz Lions Club to the international Lions organization. Left to right are, Clifford A. Burney, president of the new club, who ac-

Swartz Lions Club Gets New Charter

cepted the charter from Russell M. Kettenrign of the Monroe Lions Club, governor of District 8-1. Several gifts were presented the new club by the Lions clubs in the Twin Cities. (Staff Photo by Richard Greene)

monies. Introduction of guests was handled by Frank McDermott of the North Monroe Lions Club. Among the distinguished guests were Kirby Roy and Jim Lanigan of the Mansura Lions Club; Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Warbington of Swartz; Deputy district governor Cy Epler and Mrs. Epler; Lawrence Bennett; Jimmy Farmer of Jefferson, state secretary; Clarence Reeves, governor of District 8L; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bernhardt and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Cook.

Cook, secretary - treasurer of the City of Monroe and member of the Monroe Lions Club, gave a welcoming address to the members of the newly-chartered club.

Featured speaker was Mac Ward who spoke on the "Growing Complexities of the United States Abroad."

Charter members of the Swartz Lions Club are Guy Armstrong, E. L. Barron, Roy Eugene Barry, Byron Brodnax, James R. Burk, Clifford A. Burney, Roy H. Cagle, Morris Canterbury, Leland T. Carpenter, Russell P. Colley, Marvin L. Collins, Ralph Courson, William S. Douglas, Sam Duke.

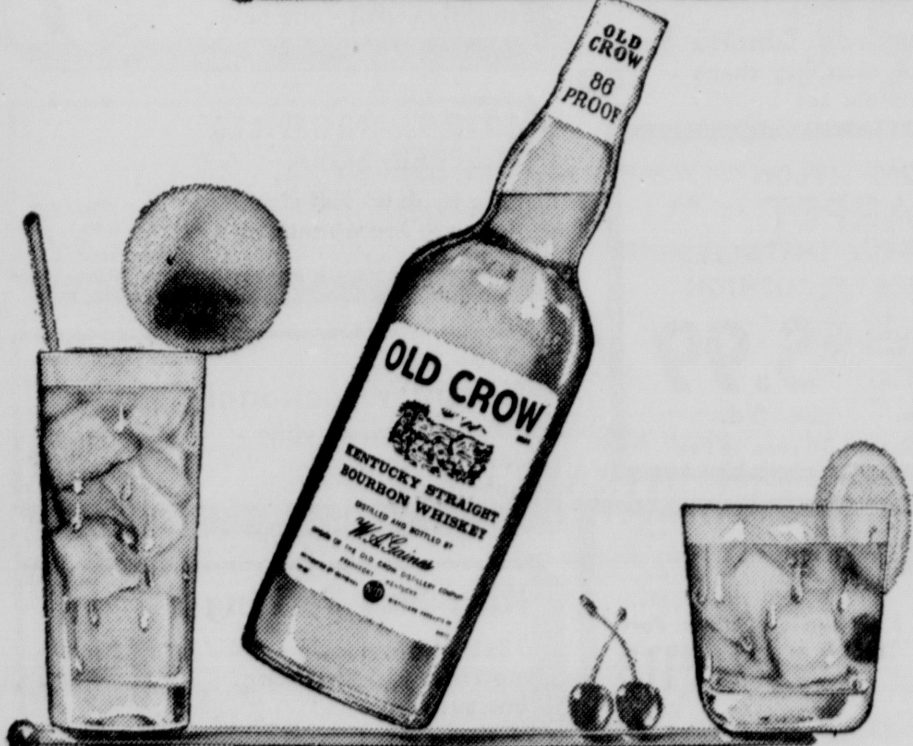
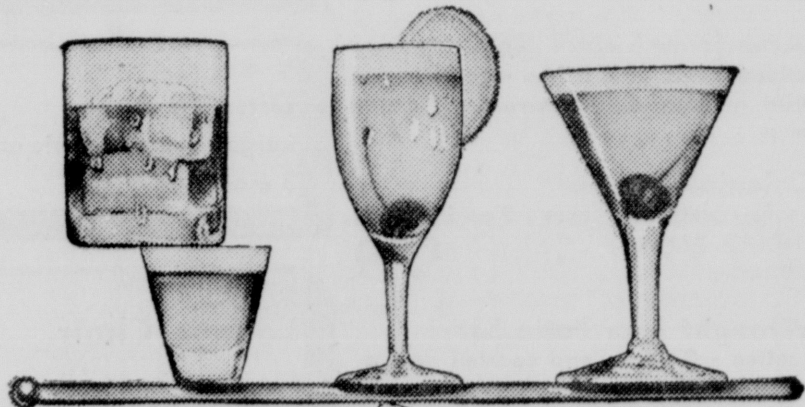
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Four new directors installed were E. L. Barron, George A. Speir, Ralph Courson and J. W. Glenn. Installing officer was Lester Carr, international counselor.

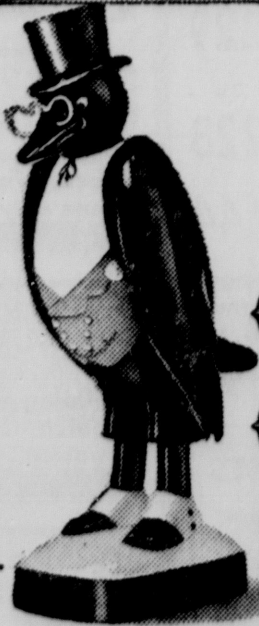
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The manager of Montgomery Ward Company in Monroe, Jack McBee, has been elected to the board of directors of the Louisiana Retailers Association for the coming year. He replaces Fred Beckett, formerly of Monroe, as one of the Fifth Congressional district representatives.

Other members from the district included Homer W. Tillery, Sears Roebuck; Howard Griffin, Howard Griffin, Inc.; George Moses, Gay Clothing; all of Monroe; and Dave Kaufman, Kaufman's of Tallulah.

David C. Silverstein, Silverstein's of Monroe, is an ex-officio member of the board.

'Treason' Charged To Rival Klansman

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — A public relations move by the grand dragon of the United Klans of America, Inc., was high treason and could cost him his life, says a rival Klan leader.

The gesture: Two newsmen were invited to an initiation ceremony.

James R. Venable, leader of the National Association of Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, said Tuesday that Grand Dragon Calvin Craig broke his sacred vows when he allowed newsmen from the Atlanta Constitution to witness an initiation ceremony last Thursday night.

Craig explained that he allowed the newsmen to attend "as a public relations move to improve our image."

Venable reported that his organization was preparing a resolution seeking to banish Craig and his superior, Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton, from the Invisible Empire.

"Our ritualistic ceremonies are purely secret. No alien is to be allowed to witness any part of them," Venable said.

"Craig is subject to be indicted by the Klan and he could be executed."

"Of course," added Venable, "our Klan wouldn't execute anybody."

He said punitive action against the grand dragon might be "outside our jurisdiction."

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Sports Briefs

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y. — John J. (Taps) Gallagher, in his 31st season as coach at Niagara University, will retire March 3.

MIAMI — Brenner Pass, \$11.40, scored his third victory of the current meeting in the feature at Hialeah, giving Don Lincoln, R.I., a snow and poor driving conditions canceled racing at Lincoln Downs for the second straight day.

BOWIE, Md. — Sun's Desire, \$5.40, captured the feature at Bowie.

NEW ORLEANS — Rex Doulton, Del., pulled in front to the stretch to win the headline at the Fair Grounds.

OLDSMAR, Fla. — Off-Mark, \$19.80, won the top event at Sunshine Park by just edging Fairview Buser at the wire.

BASKETBALL

CINCINNATI — Ed Jucker, who led Cincinnati University to two NCAA championships and a runner-up position in a third year, resigned as head coach effective at the end of the season and will be succeeded by Tav Baker, his assistant since 1960.

UPI All-A Quint

NEW YORK (UPI) — The 1965 United Press International All-America basketball team:

Player and College

Cazzie Russell, Michigan

Bill Bradley, Princeton

Pick Barry, Miami (Fla.)

Gail Goodrich, UCLA

x-Wayne Estes, Utah State

Fred Hetzel, Davidson

x-honored posthumously

Second Team

Dave Stallworth, Wichita

Clyde Lee, Vanderbilt

Bill Buntin, Michigan

Bill Cunningham, N. Carolina

Dave Schellhase, Purdue

Third Team

Ollie Johnson, San Francisco

Keith Erickson, UCLA

Skip Thoren, Illinois

A. W. Davis, Tennessee

Dick Van Arsdale, Indiana

Honorable mention (3 or more votes) — Anderson, St. Joseph's (Pa.), Austin, Boston College; Barnett, Oregon; Bialosuknia, Connecticut; Bing, Syracuse; Blair, Providence; Dampier, Kentucky; Daniels, New Mexico State; Ellis, New Mexico; Fairchild, Brigham Young; Finkel, Dayton; Goukas, St. Joseph's (Pa.); Gehring, Miami (Ohio); Haskins, Western Kentucky; Hudson Minnesota; Humes, Evansville; Isaacs, Iowa; Jarvis, Oregon State; Kimball, Connecticut; King, Oklahoma State; Lakins, North Carolina State; Leonard, Wake Forest; Malaise, Texas Tech; Marin Duke; Bob McIntyre, St. John's (N.Y.); Ken McIntyre, St. John's (N.Y.); McGlocklin, Indiana; Melchionni, Villanova; Miller, Vander-

High Scorers Are Honored; Estes Chosen

By GEORGE C. LANGFORD
NEW YORK (UPI) — Cazzie Russell of Michigan, the only junior honored, and Rhodes Scholar Bill Bradley of Princeton led the voting today for the United Press International 1965 All-America basketball team.

The late Wayne Estes of Utah State was the fifth man named to the collegiate team, that was increased to six men for the first time because of Estes' accidental death Feb. 8. Rick Barry of Miami (Fla.), Gail Goodrich of UCLA and Fred Hetzel of Davidson are the other members of the first team.

The All-America team was selected by the direct vote of 310 sports writers, editors and sports broadcasters from all parts of the country. The voters were asked to select a first and second team.

HIGH SCORERS

A prerequisite for the 1965 team seemed to be scoring ability. Five of the members rank among the top eight scorers in the nation and the team average of 29.5 is the second highest of any All-America team. The 1954 team, led by Frank Selvy of Furman with a 42.5 mark, averaged 29.8.

The team not only reflects balance in court positions, but also exhibits equal geographical distribution, with five different areas of the nation represented. Russell and Goodrich are used as guards, Hetzel plays center, and Bradley and Barry function as forwards, as did Estes.

Bradley is the only repeater from last year's first team and was second in the popular vote to Russell. The Princeton honor student was named on 92 per cent of the ballots cast while Russell drew 95 per cent. Barry received mention on 86 per cent of the ballots, Goodrich 74 per cent and Estes had more first-place nominations.

Russell was a member of the second team last season, as was Hetzel.

Dave Stallworth of Wichita, a first team member last season but who was eligible to play only one semester this season, led a second team, followed closely by Clyde Lee of Vanderbilt.

Completing the second team are Bill Buntin of Michigan, Billy Cunningham of North Carolina and Dave Schellhase of Purdue. Lee, Schellhase and Russell are the only juniors named to the first three teams. The rest are seniors.

A third team is composed of Ollie Johnson of San Francisco, Keith Erickson of UCLA, Skip Thoren of Illinois, A. W. Davis of Tennessee and Dick Van Arsdale of Indiana.

Bossier, Neville Run 1-2 In Last Basketball Poll

SHREVEPORT, La. (Special) — Bossier's Bearcats of Bossier City and Neville's Tigers of Monroe finished 1-2 in the north Louisiana prep basketball balloting, just as they finished in the district 1-AAA race.

The poll, including all classes, is conducted by a panel of eight sportswriters and coaches over the area:

Here are the final standings of the North La. prep top ten poll.

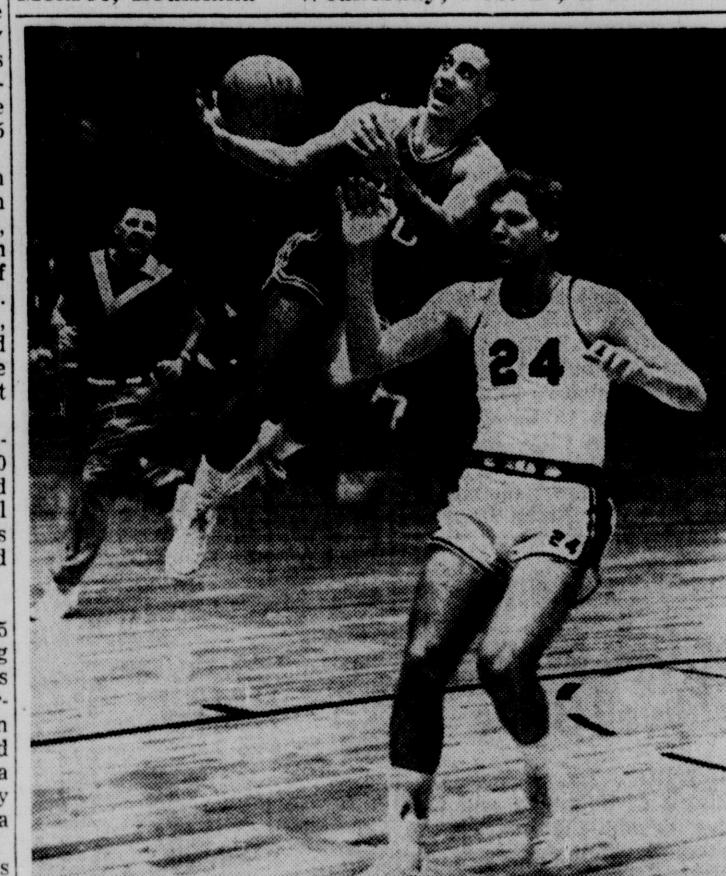
1. Bossier, 8 (33-5) 80
2. Neville (27-3) 71
3. Marthaville (38-5) 49
4. (tie) Belmont (41-4) 41
5. Marion (38-1) 41
6. Oak Grove (21-2) 34
7. Caldwell (29-2) 28
8. Byrd (25-10) 22
9. Fair Park (22-11) 14
10. Athens (34-4) 13

Others receiving votes: Start 11; Ouachita and Haughton 9; Jonesboro - Hodge 8; Natchitoches 7; and North Caddo 1.

Dean Chance of the Los Angeles Angels expects to reach a pitching milestone this season — 1,000 innings. He needs 249 innings to reach that mark. Last year he worked 278 frames.

The Monroe News-Star SPORTS

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JIMMY CLARK of Texas drives for a layup but is blocked by Arkansas' John Talkington (24) in game last night at Little Rock, Ark. Texas quint defeated Razorbacks, 74-72. (AP Wirephoto)

SUPPER TONIGHT

Delta Foul Shot Beats Northeast

Northeast State's basketball Indians, victim of an after-the-whistle foul shot in their final game of the season in a 67-66 loss to Delta State last night at Cleveland, Miss., are at home ready for the Sertoma Club's "congratulatory dinner" tonight, and there's a possibility the Tribe may get some post-season action.

Coach Lenny Fant's Indians, already Gulf States Conference champs with a 9-1 league record, found the non-conference Delta State battle one of their hardest fought of the season, the action getting so fierce at one point that a player from each team was expelled from the game.

Northeast, now with an 18-4

Boys' Club Cage Tournery Showing Sixteen Entries

Sixteen teams, eight each in an elementary school bracket and the Boys' Club bracket, will participate in the first annual Boys' Club Invitational Tournament tomorrow, Friday and Saturday in the West Monroe High School gym.

Tournament receipts will be used to send four teams of ten boys each to the Southwest Regional Basketball Tournament for Boys' Clubs at Wichita Falls, Tex., to compete against entries from Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Colorado.

Thursday's evening schedule is:

Boys' Club Bracket — Celtics vs. 76ers, 4:30; Warriors vs. Pistons, 6:30; Elementary — Len-vil vs. Riser, 5:30; Shady Grove vs. Kirols, 7:30.

Games Friday are:

Boys' Club — Lakers vs. Hawks, 4:30; Knicks vs. Royals, 6:30; Elementary — Crosley vs. Highland, 5:30; Millsaps vs. Our Lady of Fatima, 7:30.

Semi-finals, consolations and finals will be played Saturday.

Four Accept

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI) — Cheney State (19-0), Lemoine State (16-2), Concordia (17-3) and Washington of St. Louis (16-5) accepted invitations Tuesday to compete in the NCAA national college division basketball championships.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Providence Suffers First Defeat; Villanova Villain

By GARY KALE
UPI Sports Writer

The Friars of Providence won their first 19 games in a row, but didn't have a prayer against a tough Villanova defense that erased the lone team from the unbeaten ranks.

Both teams used only five players each in an ironman performance Tuesday night as 18th ranked Villanova knocked off visiting No. 4 Providence, 71-57.

Villanova held a slim 26-25 halftime lead and then utilized a fast break to take a commanding margin at 58-47 with 6:40 left. The Wildcats weren't content with an 11-point bulge and widened the gap in the remaining time.

Bill Melchionni and Jim Washington paced the tournament-hopeful Wildcats with 21 points apiece. Washington was a bulwark under the boards, where he hauled down 17 re-

bounds and blocked several Providence shots.

18TH WIN

The victory was the 18th in 22 starts for the Wildcats, who hit on 47.4 per cent of their floor shots and connected on 15 of 19 foul throws.

Providence, led by Jim Walker's 15 points, was far below its usual average of 48 per cent as the Friars hit on only 39.3 per cent of their field goal attempts.

Top-ranked Michigan successfully negotiated a potential Minnesota road block in the Big Ten Conference by stopping the seventh-rated Gophers, 91-78, at Minneapolis.

Cazzie Russell, newly named to the 1965 UPI All America college basketball team, scored 27 points for Michigan with some amazing jump shots.

The winning Wolverines, now 10-0 in conference play, were held to a 39-all intermission tie. Michigan went on a scoring tear with seven minutes to go for a 75-63 lead.

HUDSON LEADS

Oliver Darden, Bill Buntin and George Pomey also contributed double-figure scoring for Michigan. Lou Hudson led Minnesota with 25 points after being double-teamed for a seven-point total in the first half.

Another of the top 10 teams took a big fall when fifth-ranked Duke dropped an 85-82 decision to Maryland.

The Terps took a 46-28 halftime lead before a home crowd at College Park, Md., and then had to battle to hold on to a piece of the margin as the Blue Devils rallied late in the game.

The Maryland victory came from the foul line. Outscored 31-28 from the field, the Terps netted 29 of 36 charity tosses to 20 of 25 for Duke.

It was Mike Decosmo's four foul shots in the last 50 seconds that spelled disaster for Duke.

Maloney Taking Gallagher Post With Niagara U.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y. (UPI) — John J. (Taps) Gallagher was appointed athletic director at Niagara University today.

James D. Maloney was named to succeed him as coach in 1965-66.

Gallagher, 60, resigned Tuesday as coach but will remain as athletic director under a three-year contract. Taps will relinquish his coaching job after the Purple Eagles host Syracuse March 3.

The popular, Brooklyn-born Irishman has directed Niagara teams to 479 wins and 255 losses going into Saturday night's game against St. Bonaventure in Olean.

Gallagher will bow out with 26 winning seasons. This year's team has a 4-15 record.

Maloney, 30, a native of Philadelphia, played three years under Gallagher and scored 808 points before graduating in 1959.

Former coach Billy Herman has a two-year contract to manage the Boston Red Sox.

"He's at his best with young players and we have a lot of them," adds Musial, who is a vice president with the club and will offer occasional batting tips as he did last spring.

"There's no doubt in my mind Red will do a fine job. What I admire most about him is his patience. That's an important quality for a good manager. I've seen a lot of managers who didn't have it. Especially if they happened to be outstanding players themselves. They always expected everyone to be at least as good as they were."

Schoendienst was plenty good during his playing days. Good enough to make nine All-Star teams, fashion a .289 lifetime batting average for 19 seasons in the majors and establish numerous fielding records for National League second basemen.

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DICK STIGMAN, left, veteran Minnesota Twins pitcher, talks with relief pitchers Bill Dailey, center, and Garry Roggenbuck in clubhouse at Orlando, Fla., yesterday as the team's first workout of spring was delayed by rain. Dailey left the Twins last June with a sore arm after being their top reliever in 1963, appearing in 66 games with a 1.98 earned run average. Roggenbuck was on the disabled list all last season. (AP Wirephoto)

Prep Basketball

Vikings Trim

VIDALIA (Special) — District 2-A Vidalia trimmed Mansfield, 67-44 here Tuesday night in a bi-district playoff contest.

Judy Poole hit 34 markers to lead the Vikings' sextet with Aaronette Eifling sinking 25.

Sara Cooper paced Mansfield with 23 points with Pauline Gamble sinking 16.

Vidalia is now scheduled to play the winner of the Lake Arthur-Buckeye contest.

Bossier City, 72-52

BOSSIER CITY (Special) — A title for the Jolly Green Giants and a school record for Ken Liberto were the end results of the Bossier-Woodlawn basketball collision at E. L. Redding Memorial gym Tuesday night as the JGG's triumphed by a 72-52 score.

Coach Bill Collinsworth's Giants finished the loop season with a 12-2 record, two games better than Neville's runner-up Tigers. The Giants brought Bossier its first loop crown since coach John "Hound" McConathy's 1959-60 edition of the Bossier team won and went on to cop AAA state laurels as well. Liberto, a three year starter for the Knights along with all-state football teammate Trey Prather, closed out his illustrious career in a blaze of glory as he stuffed in 26 points and pulled down 17 rebounds. Ken's 23 markers gave him 496 for the season, two better than the previous season record of 496 Jon Pat Stephenson during the 1962-63 season.

Swift Bubba Woodard, the leanest Giant, called the tunes for Bossier with 16 markers while burley Bob Hamlett fired in 15. Dwight Rhodes 14, Jerry Sheppard 13 and Lobo Watson 12.

Southside In Two

Southside defeated Collinston twice in a basketball double-header Tuesday night.

In a b contest, Southside topped the visitors, 49-32. Kenneth Carbo paced the winners with 16 points while Jeff McCain led Collinston's attack with 13.

Southside's varsity outlasted Collinston, 60-57, behind the 24 points shooting of Joe Bullock. Mike Waller added 14. Marvin Creech had 14 and Earl Gregory 12 for Collinston.

Southside is now 13-8 for the year.

Epps Tournament

EPPS (Special) — Four games were played in Tuesday's second round of the Epps Junior Tournament.

In the only girls' game played, Kilbourne dropped Monticello, 36-16, behind the 14 points of Claudia Creech. Sharon Acreman netted 11 for the losers.

Lake Providence rolled past Jett of Vicksburg, Miss., 58-34, as David Shockley tossed in 38 markers. Frank Johnson tallied 11 for Jett.

Goodwill downed Ward Three, 60-41. Allen Withers led the winners with 18 points, while Jewell Donnell scored 20 for the losing team.

Epps scored a 53-31 victory over Kilbourne, as Bill Jackson tallied 14 points. Larry Harper tucked in 15 for Kilbourne.

Three games are on tap for today with West Monroe going against Oak Grove at 3:30 p.m. in a girls' contest, followed by the Goodwill vs. Lake Providence girls' game at 5:10. Forest and Oak Ridge tie up at 6:30 in a boys' contest.

Woodlawn In Two

STERLINGTON (Special) — Woodlawn tripped Sterlington Junior High in a pair of cage contests played here Tuesday night.

The boys won by a 26-14 margin as Brantley netted six points. Huckaby scored six for Sterlington.

The girls took a 21-18 decision behind the 17 points of Joyce Wade. Connie Taylor netted seven for Sterlington.

Winnfield, 72-41

WINNFIELD (Special) — Winnfield bombed Minden, 72-41, in a girls' Class AA bi-district

game here Tuesday night behind the double figure scoring of three players.

Phyllis Love netted 31 points, while Docia Dalby scored 30 and Beth Garrett 11 to lead the way.

Linda Patterson scored 23 for Minden.

Winnfield will host Opelousas, 48-47 victor over Ferriday, on Friday night for the regional crown. The winner here will go to the Sweet Sixteen Tournament at Pineville.

Gilbert Wins

GILBERT (Special) — Three players hit in double figures here Tuesday night to lead Gilbert's girls to a 57-40 victory over Pitkin in the Regional 3-B playoff.

Juanita Parker hit 24 points to pace the Gilbert sextet with Gayle McClemore adding 14 and Sherry Emfinger 13. Gilbert took District 5-B.

Nell Thompson took high point honor with 32.

Gilbert is scheduled to play the winner of the Region 1 playoff later this week.

Good Shepherd Wins

Good Shepherd clipped Fatima in two basketball games Tuesday night. The girls won a 23-22 decision behind June Licht's 14 points.

Jack DeMers and George Varino each scored six points to lead the boys to a 25-14 victory.

Tourney Entry

Deadline Near

HOLLY RIDGE, La. (Special) — Entry deadline is tomorrow for the Holly Ridge Independent and Undergraduate cage tourney dated for March 2-3-4-5-6 at Holly Ridge High School. There are sections for men and women in the independent meet, boys only complete in the undergraduate.

Fay Thurman, Holly Ridge High coach and tournament director, said there are a few openings left for teams desiring to compete. Entry fee for in-dependents is \$10 per team.

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Class C Region Cagers Tourney For Brown Gym

The annual Class C regional high school basketball tournament returns to Northeast State's Brown gym this week with contending boys' teams in action first Thursday, the girls dominating Friday's action, and winners Thursday and Friday appearing in wrap-ups Saturday.

Winners and runners-up in all Class C districts are eligible for the regionals, other such tournaments being conducted at Natchitoches, Hammond and Lafayette at the same time. Regional winners hold further eliminations at Alexandria next week, preliminary to qualifying the top four boys' teams for Shreveport's Top Twenty tourney, and the four surviving girls qualifying for the Sweet Sixteen at Alexandria.

Sixteen teams, including boys and girls, will represent four area districts in the regional here.

The schedule is: Thursday — Athens (5-C) vs. Atlanta (6-C), 3 p.m.; Weston (6-C) vs. Lisbon (5-C), 4:30; Start (7-C) vs. Waterproof (8-C), 6:30; Davidson (8-C) vs. Monticello (7-C), 8 p.m. Saturday — Semi-finals, 10 and 11:30 a.m.; final, 7 p.m.

Georgia-Pacific Two-Day Turkey Hunt Approved

BATON ROUGE (AP) — The Louisiana Wild Life and Fisheries Commission Tuesday approved a contribution of \$50,000 to Ducks Unlimited.

Ducks Unlimited is a conservation organization to which the commission has been contributing \$50,000 to \$60,000 a year, Commission Chairman Ray Whaley said.

This year's contribution of the Wild Life Commission will be presented at the organization's annual meeting in New Orleans in April.

The commission also declared a two-day turkey season on the Georgia-Pacific Wild Life Management Area at the request of the Morehouse Parish Police Jury.

Hunters will be able to hunt for turkeys on the wild life refuge during the morning hours only on April 3-4. The dates fall on the first weekend of the state turkey season.

Racing Figure, A. T. Cole, Dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Ashley T. Cole, chairman of the New York State Racing Commission for 20 years, died Tuesday night in Doctors Hospital after an illness of 10 days. He was 88.

Mrs. Alice Cole, his widow, said that he had seemed on the road to recovery.

A native of New York, Cole, a lawyer, was appointed to the commission in 1942 by former Governor Herbert H. Lehman and succeeded Herbert H. Swope as chairman of the commission on Feb. 1, 1945.

Former Detroit Tiger manager Jack Tighe scouts for the Milwaukee Braves.

Recreation Basketball

Two Church B League games were played in Recreation Basketball Tuesday night.

In the first game, Ridge Avenue defeated Claiborne, 41-27. Maxwell and Crawford had 12 each for the winners and Johnson got 10 for Claiborne.

College Place outlasted Good Hope, 41-37, in the other Church B tilt. Rhymes had 16 for the winners and Donaldson 16 for Good Hope.

West Monroe First Baptist won the Junior B title with a 34-31 victory over College Place. Loftin had 10 for the winners and Cobb 17 for College Place.

First Assembly of God blasted the Goldbricks, 37-12, for the Junior C crown. Gates had 13 for the winners and Hettler eight for the Goldbricks.

Liberty defeated Temple, 41-28. In a Church A league tilt behind the 22 points of Camp and the 18 of Graves. Breland scored 26 and Davidson 14 for Temple.

The Hustlers edged the Boys' Club, 39-35, in a Junior A league game. Stockstill scored 17 points for the winners, while Williams and Jones netted 11 each for the Boys' Club team.

In Middle League action the Boys' Club team took a 19-14 victory from College Place as Boullinghouse netted seven markers. Ogg netted eight for the losers.

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OUACHITA LOSES

Neville Settles For 2nd Place

Monroe's triple-A basketball teams were clipped in Shreveport last night, Neville falling to Fair Park in a 70-67 scrap, and Ouachita becoming a 44-39 victim of Byrd.

Neville, already assured of a state playoff wound up in second place in the district with a 10-4 league mark, the Fair Park (9-5) victory clinching first place for Bossier, 12-2 in district scraps.

Byrd's win over the Lions gave the Jackets a 9-5 league mark and a tie for third with Fair Park. Ouachita's district record reads 6-8.

The 25-point shooting of Frank Millstid and a six-point superiority in the third quarter enabled Fair Park to trim the Tigers who had five players shooting for double figures, led by Jay Eppinette's 19. J. Dodd Brooks scored 13 for the Bengals, and John Clay, Bill Dunn and David Baker has 11 each.

Neville will meet district 3-AAA champion Baton Rouge in the opening round of the state playoffs at Baton Rouge.

Neville coach Bennie Hollis announced this morning the Baton Rouge game will be played Monday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Tommy Glass led Byrd's march over Ouachita with 21 points, while the Lions' Joe Bryant was well defended by the Jackets and was far below his usual production with only ten points. Don Corbin was Ouachita's point leader with 16.

Byrd's junior varisty also won a 53-26 game over Lions talent in a preliminary.

Box scores:

Neville (67) Fair Park (70)

Dunn 5 14 11 Rembert 11 31 5

Clay 5 14 11 Millstid 11 31 25

Eppinette 5 9 21 Osteen 4 4 16

Baker 5 12 11 Hicks 7 4 18

Brooks 3 7 13 Hollis 0 4 4

Morris 1 0 1 2 Trogel 0 1 0

Rowan 0 0 0 Gremillion 0 0 0

Totals 24 19 16 67 Totals 28 14 10

Neville Fair Park 22 12 17 70

Byrd (44) Ouachita (39)

Rugg 1 1 2 3 McGuire 0 0 2 0

Corbin 7 2 0 16 Glass 9 31 21

Bryant 4 2 3 10 Goldberg 3 0 6

Smith 4 0 0 8 Saddle 1 2 0 4

Armstrong 1 0 3 2 Gillespie 2 2 0 6

Dawkins 1 0 1 2

Turner 1 1 4 3

Boswell 0 0 0 0

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Totals 17 5 8 39 Totals 18 8 8 44

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Spikes Planning To Take Houston Oiler Grid Pact

HOUSTON (AP)—Jack Spikes, former Kansas City Chiefs full-back and onetime Texas Christian University star, will play for the Houston Oilers in the American Football League this season.

Spikes said Tuesday he planned to return his signed contract to the Oilers this week.

He was released by the Chiefs at the middle of last season, picked up by the San Diego Chargers and again released. The Oilers signed him as a free agent.

General manager Carroll Martin said the Houston club already has sold 11,995 season tickets.

The Oilers will play home games in Houston's \$31 million domed stadium this season.

Curvis Defeats Ortega In Dull 10-Round Dance

LONDON (UPI) — British and Empire welterweight champion Brian Curvis' 10-round decision over Mexico's Gaspar Ortega was ranked by British boxing fans today as one of the most forgettable fights of their lives.

Curvis, a 29-year-old southpaw with a right jab that wouldn't break a pane of glass, outpointed Gaspar, veteran trail horse, over 10 dreary rounds at the Royal Albert Hall Tuesday night. A national television audience also sat in the on the proceedings.

Cage Rankings

NEW YORK (UPI) — The United Press International small college basketball ratings with first-place votes and won-lost records through Saturday, Feb. 20, in parentheses:

Team Points

1. Evansville (35) (22-0) 350

2. Central St. (Ohio) (21-0) 279

3. Southern Illinois (17-3) 258

4. North Dakota (21-4) 217

5. High Point (24-2) 169

6. Carson-Newman (25-5) 169

7. Augsburg (22-2) 110

8. Fresno State (18-6) 66

9. Southern U. (17-3) 65

10. Gannon (19-2) 52

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The Sports Patrol Chemical Boost

With Steve Snider

NEW YORK (UPI) — Some chemistry wizard could make a fortune with a formula for a new vaulting pole to replace fiberglass, which already is becoming old hat.

The pole vault and the high jump, two top thrillers for track buffs in recent years, are dropping back into the hum class as many a lad goes 16 or 17 feet with a pole and seven feet or better without one.

There's not much to be done about the high jump but the field is wide open for a crafty scientist to create a snappy successor to the once controversial fiberglass pole and boost the vaulters further into the atmosphere.

The vault zoomed in public esteem when someone invented the fiberglass pole. The high jump zoomed when Russia invented Valery Brumel.

OLD RERUNS

But the lab men of those two nations obviously are concentrating on other affairs these days for no new pole nor an improved model of a Brumel has hit the market.

Brumel, in fact, is showing signs of wear like a 100,000-mile car. The Russian ace, who has done 7-5 outdoors and 7-4 in the Garden, has been nursing a bum left knee and frequently has to scramble to get over 7-2.

Vaulters who discarded the old-fashioned bamboo pole for aluminum and then abandoned metal for fiberglass now have dropped into the same type of rut that afflicted contestants in previous eras.

The rut is at a higher level but the result is the same, with winners frequently decided on "fewer misses" and world records coming in fractions of an inch.

Only three winters ago, Madison Square Garden shook on its foundation at the ovation given German-born John Uelses when he soared over the 16-foot barrier for the first time.

Others, including Olympic champ Fred Hansen, have gone 17 feet or better outdoors.

EXCITEMENT MISSING
Hansen, most consistent of the fiberglassers, is out of action this winter, and the "left-overs" — including Uelses — aren't exactly stirring any pulses.

Mel Hein, Jr., son of the old New York Giants football center, is the biggest winner of the year with four victories—three at 16 feet. Floyd Manning won one at 16, Billy Pennington one at 16, Russia's Gennady Bliznetsov won two, including a 16-footer.

Russian coach Gavril Korobkov once was considered as a likely source for something new in the pole vault—like maybe training one of those nifty Soviet gymnasts to ride a fiberglass pole to glory.

But the best Korobkov has come up with is a husky young engineer, Bliznetsov, whose build and style strictly are along contemporary lines. And he has been using the glass pole only a year so Russia isn't exactly pioneering unless there's something new going on behind the Iron Curtain.

A new pole would be a sensation—temporarily, at least.

BASEBALL SIGNINGS
Reds Could Win If Maloney Hot

By FRED DOWN
UPI Sports Writer

The Cincinnati Reds stowed Jim Maloney's contract safely away in their vault today confident that the 1965 National League pennant will be safely theirs if the big right-hander returns to his 20-game form of 1963.

The 6-foot, 1-inch, 200-pound right-hander is believed to have accepted a \$30,000 pact despite the fact that he won only 15 games in 1964 compared to the 21-8 mark he compiled in 1963.

One of the fastest pitchers in baseball, Maloney struck out 214 batters in 216 innings and had a 2.70 earned run average last season. He is regarded as the key man of the Cincinnati pitching staff which is the Reds' chief hope for a pennant this year.

Signed along with Maloney was Pete Rose, the NL rookie of the year in 1963, who was hobbled by an early-season slump last year and finished with a .269 average. The two signings left pitcher Joey Jay, first baseman Deron Johnson and outfielder Marty Keough among the unsigned Reds.

The Pittsburgh Pirates came to terms with an important cog in their 1965 plans when pitcher Don Cardwell signed on the dotted line. A powerful right-hander who pitched a no-hitter for the Chicago Cubs in 1960, Cardwell is regarded as a potential 15-to-17-game winner.

Tracy Stallard, who had the thrill of being traded by the last-place New York Mets to the world champion St. Louis Cardinals during the off-season, joined the ranks of satisfied Cardinals. The 27-year-old righthander had a 10-20 record for the Mets last season but is expected to become a starting pitcher for the Cardinals.

The Cardinals also announced the signing of Mike Cuellar, a lefthanded relief pitcher who had a 5-5 record in 32 games with them last season. Still unsigned are 20-game winner Ray Sadecki, pitchers Bob Humphreys and Curt Simmons, infielder Julian Javier and outfielder Bob Skinner.

The Washington Senators, meanwhile, discovered that they have a holdout on their hands in regular catcher Hal Brumley. Brumley is reported to be angling for a \$5,000 increase while the Senators are countering with a \$2,500 offer. Brumley hit .244 and drove in 30 runs last season.

Elsewhere on the baseball front: Pitcher George Culver and shortstop Tony Martinez signed with the Cleveland Indians leaving Bud Daley, Gary B. Bell and outfielder Vic Davalillo unsatisfied. . . the Minnesota Twins signed pitchers Gary Dotter, Jerry Fosnow and Johnny Klippstein and outfielder Joe Nosssek. . . rookies Jim Marrujo and Eliseo Rodriguez agreed to terms with the New York Yankees, leaving seven American League champions still involved in negotiations.

Lincoln Reopens
LINCOLN, R. I. (UPI) — Lincoln Downs will resume racing today with a regular 10-race card after having been washed out Monday and Tuesday because of snow and frigid temperatures.

Jucker Ending Cincy Career; Promote Baker

CINCINNATI (UPI) — Ed Jucker, who guided the University of Cincinnati to two consecutive NCAA championships, tonight sends the basketball Bearcats against St. Louis here in one of three games left in his coaching career.

Jucker, 47, will step down at the season's end for reasons of health, to be succeeded by assistant Coach Tay Baker. He will remain at the university in a teaching post.

Jucker's resignation was submitted to the university board of directors Dec. 14 but was not made public until Tuesday.

He was United Press International coach of the year in 1963 and had guided the Bearcats to three consecutive Missouri Valley Conference titles before the 1963-64 season. They currently are 3-9 this season in MVC action.

In 1960-61 he led Cincinnati to the NCAA championship, upsetting Ohio State in the title game, and repeated the feat in 1961-62, again over Ohio State.

A bid for an unprecedented third consecutive national title was thwarted in 1962-63 when Loyola of Chicago beat the Bearcats 60-58 in an overtime in the championship game.

Jucker's teams reeled off 37 consecutive victories in the 1961-62 and 1962-63 seasons.



ED JUCKER, top, has resigned as U. of Cincinnati basketball coach, effective after the team's season, and Tay Baker, bottom, ex-Cincinnati star and Jucker assistant since 1960, has been named to succeed him. (AP Wirephoto)

Manager Bill Rigney of the Los Angeles Angels managed the New York Giants and San Francisco Giants in 674 games. His teams won 332, lost 342.

Tech Gets Hot In Last Half, Whips Demons

RUSTON, La. (Special) — After a sluggish first half, Louisiana Tech cagers more than doubled their point production in the second half to blast Northwestern's Demons, 85-55, here last night and clinch a tie for second place in the Gulf States Conference basketball race.

Tech's 6-4 GSC record ties Southeastern for second. The Demons finished 1-8 in the league.

Jerry Hood led Tech to its eleventh victory in 21 games with 25 points, 11 coming in the first half, but Jim Pruitt, Bob Watson and Jon Stephenson backed him with 16-10-10 respectively as the Bulldogs pulled away in the second half.

Northwestern (55)

	fga	fgm	fta	ftm	rb	pf	tp
Simmons	4	0	2	0	2	2	2
Lee	4	0	0	0	4	2	2
Stewart	0	0	2	2	1	2	2
Barnes	9	3	2	2	1	2	2
Clark	14	2	11	6	6	2	10
Hendricks	0	0	3	2	2	3	3
Arthur	6	1	6	4	1	4	4
LeGrand	5	1	1	1	3	3	3
Watts	9	3	1	0	0	0	0
McLaurin	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis	1	1	3	1	1	1	1
Ray	11	3	3	1	4	2	7

Team

	fga	fgm	fta	ftm	rb	pf	tp
Totals	52	17	30	21	38	23	55
La. Tech (85)	fga	fgm	fta	ftm	rb	pf	tp
Penny	7	2	3	2	2	1	6
Barnes	7	3	4	3	3	1	9
Pruitt	12	7	2	2	3	3	16
Stephenson	5	4	4	2	8	3	10
Smith	7	1	0	0	4	1	2
Barron	2	0	2	0	0	4	1
McCormick	9	1	4	0	3	3	5
Hood	25	12	1	1	0	3	22
Watson	8	4	5	3	13	5	11
Stone	1	1	1	0	1	0	2
Diving	2	1	0	0	1	0	2
Team	77	36	26	13	16	25	85

Score By Halts
Northwestern 26 29-55
Tech 27 57-85
Officials: Duplechin and Pattison

SENATE HEARING

Seven Club Owners Already Dance Yankee Tune--Finley

WASHINGTON (AP) — Charles O. Finley, owner-president of the Kansas City Athletics, invited federal action today to nullify the sale of the New York Yankees to the Columbia Broadcasting System.

He told the Senate antitrust and monopoly subcommittee in prepared testimony he fears the CBS-Yankee deal may herald a big business "invasion" of professional sports, with the players and fans the ultimate losers.

But Chicago White Sox president Arthur C. Allyn Jr., who like Finley voted against the sale, said he is satisfied with the manner in which baseball now is policing the deal.

"The integrity of baseball is still being zealously protected," Allyn said in a prepared statement to the committee.

Allyn and Finley cast the two "no" ballots when the American League voted 8 to 2 last fall to approve the sale over their objections.

Their testimony highlighted this last scheduled day of the subcommittee's investigation of the transaction.

Finley enumerated what he called evils inherent in the sale of a baseball franchise to any television network, as he told the subcommittee:

"If federal action nullifies the sale I would be greatly relieved."

Sen. Phillip A. Hart, D-Mich.,

subcommittee chairman, said in a statement the testimony showed that "there is no question now that the purchase by a major network of a major league ball club opens new possibilities for anticompetitive behavior."

Officials of the Yankees and

CBS have testified they never would abuse their power to gain unfair advantage over other American League clubs. Finley challenged this.

He said the 8-2 vote approving the sale showed how much power the Yankees wield in the American League.

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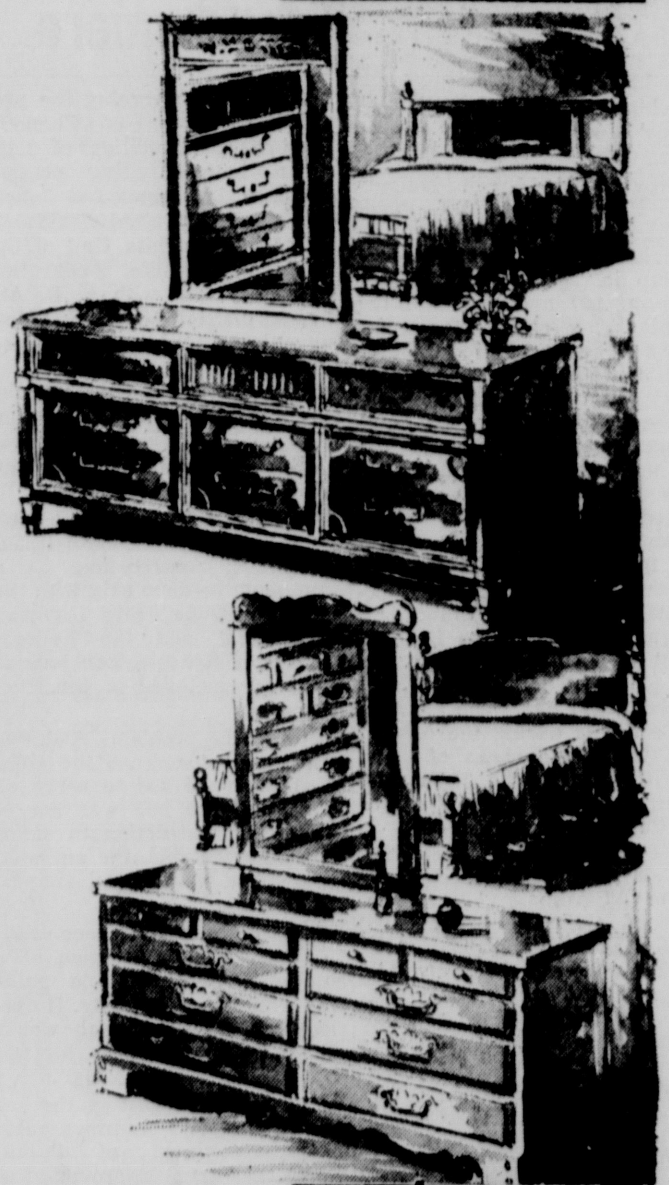
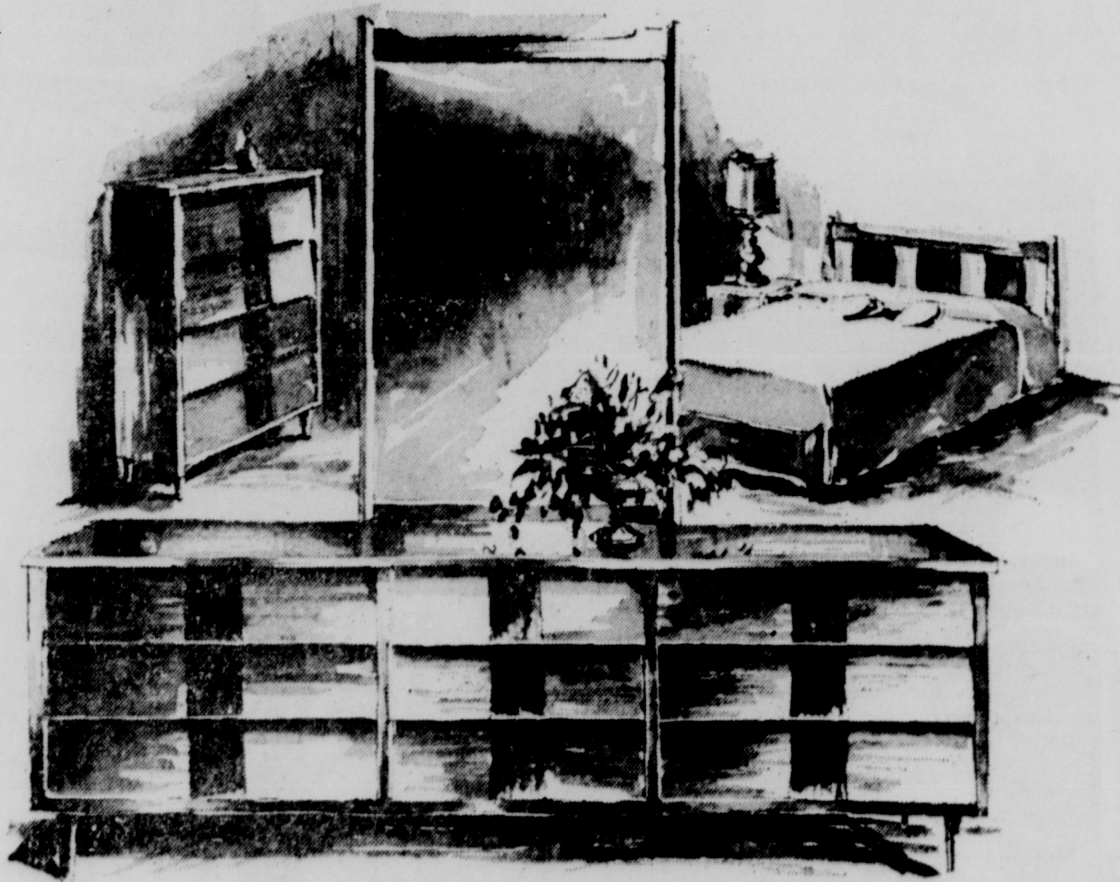
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RECENT BRIDE, MRS. Marvyn Lee Smart, the former Miss Judy Pankey, is seen admiring one of the gifts she received at the tea shower given recently in the home of Mrs. Oren Atkins. With Mrs. Smart are two of the hostesses at the party, left, Mrs. Duane Carter and right, Mrs. Atkins.

Mrs. Marvyn Lee Smart Feted At Bridal Parties

A seasonal Valentine theme was used throughout the home of Mrs. Oren Atkins, 502 Austin Ave., West Monroe, on Saturday, February 20 when she entertained with a tea shower for Mrs. Marvyn Lee Smart, the former Miss Judy Pankey.

Co-hostesses for the afternoon party were Mrs. Ellis Ross, Mrs. Paul Wilhite, Mrs. Charles Towers, Mrs. Victor Kelley, Mrs. Larry Lewis, Mrs. Joe Ford Jr., Mrs. T. Gallien, Mrs. Haskel Pankey, Mrs. Jimmy Powell, Mrs. Dwan Carter and Mrs. Linda Antley.

Guests were received in the main living room by Mrs. Atkins, the honoree, Mrs. C. L. Pankey, the bride's mother, and Mrs. L. D. Smart, mother of the groom.

Seated at the guest book table was Miss Charlotte Pankey, sister of the bride. A lighted memory candle was circled with variegated camellia blossoms.

In the formal dining room, guests were served from the table overlaid with a white cut-work linen cloth. Centered on the table was an arrangement of red and white chrysanthemums.

Y-Teens Plan Conference And Carnival Ball

Registration for the Y-Teen Parish Conference will begin at 4:00 p.m. on Friday February 26 at the Frances Hotel, with several events planned for the evening. Scheduled are a get-acquainted session, a charm clinic, vespers and supper.

On Saturday, workshops and panel discussions will highlight the morning hours with the conference dismissing after lunch.

Each of four local schools are in charge of one phase of the program. Neville will plan the recreation and get-acquainted sessions, Ouachita High is in charge of singing, Sterlington High will handle workshops and vespers and devotionals are planned by West Monroe High.

On Saturday evening, a dance is planned at the Hotel Frances roof. A Mardi Gras Queen and her court will be chosen for the ball. Each school will have two Y-Teen representatives on the court. The queen will be elected by the Inter Club Council and will be crowned at intermission. She and her escort will reign as King and Queen over the remainder of the Ball.

Candidates for Queen of the Ball are Ann Avery, Nancy Pfimmer, Pat Pounders Peggy Gates, Pam Clark, Belinda Mathis, Dorothy Young and Shirley Odom.

Uncluttered Bedroom Best

Both husband and wife can be equally pleased with the bedroom if it is neither too fussy nor too masculine. Modern seems to be the key. A happy in-between is the neat, uncluttered look with bright splashes of color and soft window treatment. Fabrics are a very important ingredient, and textured fabrics in crisp bright colors can be the answer for all concerned. In a wonderful array of colors and textures can set the pace for the master bedroom. Modern theme can be carried out in the simplicity of room with bright accents of color reflected in rug and paintings.

QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds



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By, For and About WOMEN

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ALONG the OUACHITA

WORD HAS JUST BEEN received from Lt. and Mrs. Robert Rainer of Novato, California, of the birth of their first child, a son, Randall Reese, born on February 8. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Weir of West Monroe and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rainer of Sarepta, La. Mrs. Rainer is the former Miss Sue Weir of West Monroe.

COLONEL AND MRS. A. B. JOHNSON of the "ABJ" Ranch in Leesburg, Virginia, and Mrs. Rosalie Hayes of Shreveport are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Norton, West Monroe. Colonel and Mrs. Johnson will make a trip to Yucatan before returning to Virginia.

PLANS ARE BEING MADE for the annual Neville High School Alumni Banquet to be held this year on Tuesday, May 4 at the Paragon Club. Advance notice is being given to alert alumni to the need for volunteers to help Mrs. J. P. Dunn who is chairman of the telephoning committee. Honor classes will be 1915 and 1940. There are five alumni who graduated from the City High School fifty years ago who have been contacted by Frank Brees. Louis D. Smith is in charge of the 1940 class and graduates of Neville twenty-five years ago are asked to contact him.

Musical Coterie Hears Original Compositions

Original compositions by Musical Coterie member, Mrs. B. D. Allbritton, were the highlight of the club's meeting of Friday, February 19. Members and guests met in the home of Mrs. R. H. Oliver on Bayou Lane at 3:30 p.m., with Mrs. R. G. McDonald as co-hostess.

A coffee hour in the dining room overlooking the bayou preceded the program. Presiding at the coffee service was Mrs. James Murphy. Spring bouquets of yellow jonquils enhanced the living and dining area.

The annual business meeting was presided over by president, Mrs. Murphy, and began with the repeating of the club collect by the membership. The motion to pay the yearly Federation dues of the three Junior Musical Coteries was passed by the club. Chairman of the nomination committee, Miss Gertrude Sandrock, presented the roster of club officers for the coming year, which was accepted by the membership. The officers will be: Mrs. James Murphy, president; Mrs. LeRoy Anspach,

vice president; Mrs. Tex Kilpatrick, secretary; Mrs. Grayson Guthrie Jr., treasurer; Mrs. F. V. Allison, historian; Mrs. R. B. Gandy, reporter.

Mrs. McDonald introduced the musical program and Mrs. Allbritton, who began with her Prelude from Opus 13. Two vocal selections, written by Mrs. Allbritton were sung by Mrs. R. B. Gandy, soprano, with the composer at the piano. They were "The Duel," a setting of the humorous poem by Eugene Field, and "Magnolias," a lovely poem written by Mrs. Allbritton.

Closing the program was a composition on which Mrs. Allbritton had collaborated with Mrs. Oliver, and was performed by the two at this time, entitled "Flood." The composition describes, through Negro songs and descriptive music, the preparation for the storm by the singing, working Negroes as they filled sand sacks for the levee. The composition progressed to the storm itself and the lament of the Negroes. Originally intended for a chorus and orchestra, Mrs. Oliver explained that it was performed first in Shreveport in 1932 by a chorus and the Shreveport Symphony. In Monroe it was performed that same year with a local Negro vocal group appearing with the Shreveport Symphony. Then in 1933 the orchestra performed "Flood" at the Chicago World's Fair on Ark-La-Tex Day, featuring the then-famous Negro group The Mundy Singers.

Present for the program were guests Mrs. R. R. Rhymes of Rayville, Mrs. Shelby Cage of West Monroe, Mrs. C. D. Oakley, and guest-of-honor, Mrs. Oliver. Attending members were: Mrs. Allbritton, Mrs. Allison, Miss

Mrs. Knight New President Of Twins Club

Officers for the coming year were elected at the recent meeting of the Twin Cities Twin Club, held at the First National Bank Building in West Monroe on Thursday evening, February 18. Mrs. Ebert Van Buren presided.

Officers to be installed at the March meeting are: president, Mrs. Fred Knight; vice-president, Mrs. Bill Jones; secretary, Mrs. Paul Cowan; treasurer, Mrs. W. Q. Tubbs.

Mrs. Van Buren demonstrated exercises after the business session.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Robert Butler and Mrs. Van Buren to Mrs. Tubbs, Mrs. J. M. Mitchell, Mrs. Ray Lindow, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Sam LaDart, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. Bryan Ritter, Mrs. James Bennett, Mrs. S. D. Sloan.

Emy - Lou Biedenharn, Mrs. Gandy, Mrs. W. M. Harper, Mrs. Nolan Harvey, Mrs. Kilpatrick, Mrs. H. H. Land, Mrs. Elmer Marshall, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Estelle Sanders, Miss Sandrock, Mrs. Eloise Stanhope, Mrs. Briscoe Trousdale, Jr., Mrs. Jack White, Mrs. Henry Whitfield, Mrs. Everett Zeagler.

Insurance Women Fete Bosses At Annual Banquet

Dinner, cocktails and dancing made a festive evening on Thursday, February 18, when the Insurance Women of Monroe held their annual Bosses' Night Banquet at the Embers Restaurant. Mrs. Natalie Lamb, regional director from Baton Rouge and J. H. (Slim) Scogin of Monroe were guest speakers.

Mrs. Lamb, introduced by Mrs. Francis Case, president of the local organization, talked on the history of insurance women.

Mrs. Scogin's humorous talk to the group was a high point of the evening.

Mrs. Case introduced her bosses, R. D. Farr Jr. and W. D. H. Rodriguez, and vice president, Mrs. Betty Sipma introduced Stewart Scott, her boss. Then Mrs. Case honored the employers in a talk.

Dancing followed dinner with the following people present: Gerald Arrant, Tom Brakefield, J. M. Busby Jr., James O. Etier, R. D. Farr Jr., Alfred Gallagher, W. G. Haynes Jr., J. R. Johnston Jr., W. E. Leigh, J. C. McDougald, Charles E. McKenzie Jr., A. E. Montgomery, H. A. Mouk Sr., H. A. Mouk Jr., W. D. H. Rodriguez, S. M. Scott Jr., G. W. Trousdale, Parker A. Wiggins, Armond Wroten, Mrs. Natalie Lamb, Ray Bennett, L. A. Branch, Baxter Brasher, Calvin Coorie, Kay Johnson.

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By HUGHES MENDEL

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♣ 7 2	♠ J 4 2	♥ A 9 7	♦ K Q J 5	♥ 10 8 6 2	♦ K 10 8	♥ Q 6 5 3	♦ Q 6 5 3

Neither Vulnerable
South Dealer

Today's hand is another of the excellent prepared deals from the recent Intercollegiate Bridge Tournament. A point is illustrated which is easy enough to find in a par contest, but one quite often overlooked in normal play — which is a pity. Those who composed the hands give as the moral: "Pitch the Winner."

South plays (for bidding par) four spades. The directed lead is the ace of diamonds, and South must make his contract.

Declarer must win the opening lead, cash the ace and king of hearts, throwing a diamond, ruff a heart, cash two rounds of spades, ending in dummy. When the trumps break 2-2, South is home. He ruffs dummy's last heart and exits with his remaining diamond. Whichever opponent wins the trick must either lead a club, limiting declarer's losers in that suit to two, or lead a diamond which declarer will ruff in his own hand while discarding one of dummy's losing clubs. In either event, the contract is made.

Note that the diamond which was discarded on the second high heart is actually a winner since it can be ruffed in dummy. But the defense would have a safe diamond exit and South would have to lead clubs himself, losing three tricks in the suit.

Had trumps not broken 2-2, South would have abandoned his plan to ruff out the last heart and played for a favorable position in clubs — A K in one hand, or a singleton or doubleton honor.

COLLEGE STAPLE

No college wardrobe is complete without a "slicker" — A rugged raincoat made of shiny, oilclothlike plastic which sheds water like the proverbial duck. An occasional dousing in a dormitory bathtub full of soap or detergent suds will keep slickers slick and clean.



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CLUB MEMOS

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LITTLE THEATRE

Little Theatre presentation of "The Sound of Music," at Strauss Playhouse, 8:15 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Pete Corbin, Mrs. Walter Hastings, Miss BB Stron and Mrs. T. T. Phillips.

STYLE SHOW

Style show sponsored by St. Paschal's CCM in the Parish Hall, North 7th, West Monroe, 8 p.m. Public invited. Tickets may be obtained in advance or at the door.

AREME CLUB

Areme Club, Mrs. C. V. Collier, 201 So. College 7:30 p.m.

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DEAR ABBY

He Forgot To Mail Christmas Cards

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Boy, am I a dope! This morning I opened my glove compartment to get something, and I saw the bundle of Christmas cards I had promised my wife I would mail a few days before Christmas. They were all stamped and addressed. Should I drop them in the mailbox now or not? Should I tell my wife I forgot to mail them and take the consequences? She doesn't have red hair for nothing.

DEAR PLUM: Don't mail them now or your friends will think you are rushing the season for 1965. Get yourself a crash helmet and a nose guard and tell your redhead the awful truth.

DEAR ABBY: On one of my husband's recent trips, he purchased a painting of a nude woman. When he brought it home, he explained that it was a very "good" painting. I told him I didn't have any doubt about how "good" it was, but I didn't want it hanging in my home. I since have asked several of our friends how they felt about the painting and the majority of them said they saw nothing offensive about it. I still feel, however, that I would be embarrassed if certain friends visited us and saw that painting.

My husband says that as long as we like it, we should not worry about people who might be offended. What is your opinion?

DEAR GLENDALE: Don't shift the blame to "certain friends." When you first saw the painting you said you didn't want it hanging in your home. Apparently you were offended. You and your husband share the same home and should hang paintings you both enjoy.

DEAR ABBY: After a hectic day in my beauty salon I was ready to put up this sign, "no children allowed." They nearly wrecked my place, and me with it. I called my sister, who is very good at writing poems, and asked her if she would write something for me to post in the shop. I thought others might appreciate it:

"Bless the little children, we love them like our own. Nothing could be sweeter when they are left at home. "While working on their mother's it's more than we can stand to have the little cherubs get wildly out of hand. "So please call up a sitter and give yourselves a treat and we will be so grateful we may even kiss your feet." (From Texas)

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Questions On Fashions Are Answered

By FLORENCE de SANTIS

Q: Please tell me how to get the crease out of a hem when letting down a dress. I've tried steaming, but the line still shows.

A: This is difficult, and sometimes impossible, to do. I usually have the dress cleaned, asking the cleaner to pay special attention to the hemline, but I must confess that on any dress which has been worn for some time, the crease seems impossible to get out. Have any other readers a solution for this problem?

Q: How can I shorten a plastic raincoat?

A: Many plastics can simply be cut off and a new hemline sewn in, but if the coat is lined or seems otherwise impossible just to cut, take it to a local cleaner who also offers tailoring service.

Q: I have a pale pink lightweight lace dress. Would this be suitable for a March wedding? I am a member of the immediate family. Would you suggest other ideas if this dress isn't right?

A: Lace is a formal fabric, so is suitable only if the wedding is formal, with bridesmaids, etc. Otherwise, a dressy suit in a bright or pale color would be better. In March, the lace dress would be a bit difficult to hat except with a small, restrained flower hat or a chiffon turban or a silk hat. Shoes would have to be dark in March, which doesn't go too well with pale pink.

Q: In April I'm traveling for a week each at San Diego, Guadalajara (Mex.) and Seattle. I'd like to build a wardrobe around an aqua flowered raincoat and a soft rose suede coat. Can I get an adequate wardrobe into one suitcase?

A: Sportswear departments today usually feature a great many mix-and-match pieces. Since it's usually hard to match shades, why not go for yellow as the color of your wardrobe?

This will assimilate nicely with both aqua and rose. Get an A-line skimmer dress plus jacket or sweater jacket. Jacket will also go with two skirts you'll buy, which should be pleated or flared, as straight skirts can be uncomfortable in traveling. I'm sending you further ideas by mail.

Q: I'm planning a trip to New York the last part of May. Would a black brocade cocktail dress be right for the theater, with black fabric pumps, clutch, white gloves, white boucle coat? What kind of jewelry?

A: The outfit is fine if the brocade isn't too heavy, as New York can be quite warm by that time. For jewelry wear pearls, gold, rhinestones — any of these brighter black.

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Local Student At Centenary Gets Scholarship

Charles Dallas Williams, Neville High School senior, was recently chosen as the winner of the fourth annual Alumni Scholarship to Centenary College in Shreveport.

He was presented with the scholarship at the annual Homecoming banquet at Centenary recently, becoming the second consecutive Neville student to win the award. Miss Milann Gannaway received the scholarship last year.

Williams, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Williams Jr., 3435 Westminster Ave., ranks sixth in his class of 236 students at Neville, and has been placed in the upper three per cent of high school seniors throughout the nation.

He is now serving as president of the student body. He is past president of the junior class and Latin Club, and a member of the Key Club. Williams is also a varsity football player and was in the school orchestra for three years.

My Answer

By BILLY GRAHAM

QUESTION: In Job 24:22 it says: "No man is sure of life." But in your sermons you say that we can be sure of eternal life. Please explain.

S. P.

ANSWER: Job, of course, is speaking of temporal life. He is not speaking of everlasting life here at all. However, a great lesson can be taken from this text. If no man can be sure of temporal life, then we should not set our affections upon things here on earth. Jesus said: "Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth." The Apostle Paul said: "This is not our resting place." Life may slip from your grasp in a moment.

Another lesson we can learn is to make the most of life while it lasts. The Bible indicates that we are to be up and doing. The night may shut down in the twinkling of an eye. The Bible admonishes that we are to redeem the time. However, concerning eternal life, the Bible says in I John 5:13: "These things are written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God that ye may know that we have eternal life." All the way through the Bible indicates that you can be absolutely certain of your everlasting home.

FIRST IN EIGHT YEARS

Commuter Makes Exciting Wrong Turn

By DICK WEST United Press International

WASHINGTON (UPI) — For the past eight years, like a little mechanical mouse in a Swiss clock, I have been driving to and from work over the same route every day.

It wouldn't be accurate to describe a four-lane highway as a "rut," but by this time that road is getting to be pretty familiar.

Naturally, I appreciate anything that breaks the monotony of commuting, and I am therefore grateful to the highway department official who has charge of this particular thoroughfare.

Recently he installed over one section some of those huge, ghastly, bilious-green signs that stretch clear across the highway.

As a result, while driving home the other evening, I made, for the first time in eight years, a wrong turn.

This provided a momentary change in the old routine, which brightened my life considerably.

SIGN SCRAMBLE

The experience illustrates, however, an alarming trend in highway signboards. Verbosity is rampant. I get the impression that all of the sign painters are frustrated novelists.

Clearly, something must be done to check the proliferation of highway signs, which already have passed the point of diminishing returns. But what?

One possible solution was suggested by a recent magazine cartoon. It depicted a high speed highway with a separate lane for slow readers.

I am inclined to think, however, that a better solution can be found in a recent report by the National Geographic Society on an international road sign system now in use in 35 countries.

This system employs symbols rather than words to keep the motorist informed as to what is in store for him. For

example, a horizontal white bar on a red circle means "don't enter."

SPAGHETTI SYMBOL

We already have a limited set of symbols in this country. It could easily be expanded to fit other circumstances and thus reduce driver eyestrain brought on by excessive reading.

Take the familiar freeway signs that say "next exit 10 miles." All that would be needed there would be the figure "10" imprinted over a bowl of spaghetti, symbolizing a traffic interchange.

The rather garrulous "no parking on shoulders except in emergency" could be replaced by a simple drawing of a flat tire. A replica of a coin would suffice for "toll station ahead." And so on.

I'll concede it would take some time for motorists to learn all the symbols, but not as much time as it takes to figure out some of the abbreviations now used by sign painters.

Or we could adopt one single all-purpose symbol — the outline of a gasoline pump. Which means: "Stop at the next service station and ask directions."

No Longer Need For Encampment Of Gypsy Tribe

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — Big John is out of the hospital again and there's no more need for his tribesmen to camp in the hospital lobby.

Big John Williams, 70-year-old Gypsy king, was released Tuesday from Miriam Hospital after more than a week of treatment for diabetes.

The Gypsy tribe had first showed up at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston Feb. 8. For nearly a week the lobby was filled with Gypsies.

A physician advised the Gypsies Big John had a gangrenous right leg that might require amputation.

The Gypsies said nothing until Feb. 14 when they put Big John aboard an ambulance, despite doctors' protests, and brought him to Miriam Hospital.

Things Not Serene On Rating Front

NEW YORK (AP) — All is not serene these days for night-time network television hosts. The two men involved are Johnny Carson and Les Crane.

The American Broadcasting Co. announced Tuesday Crane will be doing his last show Friday night. The 29-year-old former, dropped because of low ratings, will be replaced by rotating guest hosts on a program to be called "ABC's Nightlife." Crane may wind up in the host role from time to time, the network said.

Carson's situation with the National Broadcasting Co. is completely different. He is arguing with the network because the opening 15-minute segment of his "Tonight" show, when he does a monologue, has been cut out of stations in New York and San Francisco.

Carson disclosed his stand to his television audience last Friday night after sitting in his dressing room during the first 15 minutes. He explained he was "sulking" and has since balked at doing the 15-minute opener.

Carson's first reaction: "New York and San Francisco represent the loss of four to five million viewers a night for the opening monologue. It isn't worth it — working to prepare material — if the network isn't going to put it on the air in New York, where the show originates, or a major city like San Francisco. It's an integral part of the show."

Carson met Tuesday with an NBC executive to try to iron out the dispute. A network spokesman said later: "The chances are 99 to 1" there will be no change in Carson's usual routine.

"It's a convenience to stations," the spokesman explained. The 15-minute opener has been cut out of New York and San Francisco because of expanded news programs. The NBC official said Carson would be shown "the facts of life" in his contract.

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They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



Ulbricht Can Rate Nasser Invitation Personal Victory

By LOYAL GOULD

BERLIN (AP) — On his trip to Egypt, Walter Ulbricht is taking his first state visit to a non-Communist country.

The stocky leader of East Germany's Communist party can consider President Gamal Abdel Nasser's invitation a personal victory.

In the past, even the most left-leaning neutral countries have held back from associating too closely with one of the Kremlin's most accomplished helpers.

The fact that these and other nations have refused to grant full recognition to his regime has been irking Ulbricht, especially since he must constantly find ways with which he can improve his own image and stature within the Communist community.

He has constantly schemed and pushed toward being recognized, seemingly disregarding the obstacles placed in his paths by the West, chiefly the West German government which maintains it has the only legal right to speak for the entire German nation.

Scheming and perseverance are among Ulbricht's main per-

sonal assets. "Look into his eyes and you will see how scheming and dishonest he is," said Germany's most famous woman Communist, the late Clara Zetkin.

Rights Hearings To Have 'Good Effect'—Johnson

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) —Gov. Paul Johnson says the Mississippi hearings of the U.S. Civil Rights Commission will have a good effect on the state.

He told newsmen Tuesday, "It's good for local officials to participate in these sort of hearings. If they are trying to get the true story across, I believe reasonable people will understand what we are attempting to get done."

Johnson said he felt some commissioners "were amazed at what they found. A lot of places have more serious problems."

The commission probed racial relations in Mississippi for 10 days.

about Ulbricht back in the 1920s. Ulbricht had just finished his first ax job for Joseph Stalin by chopping up Germany's big, independent Communist party into small cells easily controlled by the Kremlin.

Since then, his uncanny ability to follow and survive every nuance in the Kremlin line had made him one of Moscow's most valuable functionaries.

Born in Leipzig, he joined the Socialists at 19 and became a union organizer.

Later in Berlin, he joined Rosa Luxemburg and Karl Liebknecht in forming the Spartacus Society that became the German Communist party in 1920.

With the passage of time and the cutting down of numerous comrades, he became the Kremlin's man.

He is married for the second time and has a daughter.

Dry Clean Eggs

NORWICH, England (UPI)—The egg marketing board has appealed to farmers to "dry clean" their eggs in an effort to provide longer-lasting hen fruit.

OBITUARIES

W. P. Singleton Jr.

BASTROP (Special) — Funeral services for William Perry Singleton Jr., 47, who died Monday, were scheduled to be held at 3 p.m. today in Central Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Harold Holland officiating. Burial was to be in Morehouse Memorial Cemetery under direction of Blackwell - Golden Funeral Home.

Sherman Smith Sr.

GRAYSON (Special) — Funeral services for Sherman Smith Sr., 54, of Grayson, who died Monday, were scheduled to be held at 2 p.m. today at Grayson Methodist Church with burial to be at Old Bethel Cemetery near Clarks by Riser and Son Funeral Home of Columbia.

Mrs. Claudia Zuber

HODGE (Special) — Funeral services for Mrs. Claudia Mae Zuber, 54, of Hodge, who died Monday, were scheduled to be held at 2 p.m. today at Hodge Baptist Church with the Rev. J. D. Wagoner officiating. Burial was to be in Trains Memorial Cemetery near Jonesboro under the direction of Edmonds Funeral Home of Jonesboro.

Mrs. Hooter

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Louise Riser Hooter, 68, of Bosco, were to be held at 2:30 p.m. today at Bosco Baptist Church with the Rev. Jeff Carter officiating, assisted by the Rev. E. N. Boyette. Burial was to be in the church cemetery under direction of Hixson Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hooter died Monday in Texas.

Mrs. Ida Warner

LAKE PROVIDENCE (Special) — Funeral for Mrs. Ida Mae Warner, 78, who died Tuesday, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Gay's Funeral Home in Lake Providence with the Rev. Paul Young officiating.

Burial will be in Providence Memorial Park.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Jess Brown of Laporte, Ind., Mrs. A. D. Denny of Laporte, Mrs. E. R. Roshto of Port Allen and Mrs. Maxine Jackson of Lake Providence; two sons, Delbert Warner of New Carlisle, Ind. and David Warner of Transylvania; two

sisters, Mrs. Fred Robb of New Carlisle and Mrs. Dora Baxley of Laporte; and a brother, Jess Wolf of Transylvania, 27 grandchildren and 46 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Mittie Carrin

Funeral services for Mrs. Mittie Acree Carrin, 59, of Jacksonville, Fla., mother of two West Monroe women, were held Monday in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Carrin died in Jacksonville Friday.

She is survived by her husband, Paul Carrin, Jacksonville; two daughters, Mrs. James L. Albritton, 508 Shady Oaks Dr., and Mrs. Colleen Ezell, Cheniere Rd., both of West Monroe; two sons, Marshall W. Hendrix, Shreveport, and Warren Hendrix, Otis Air Force Base, Boston, Mass. and 14 grandchildren.

Felix Simon

WINNSBORO (Special) — Funeral services were to be today for Felix Monique Simon, 52, of Winnsboro, who died in a Monroe hospital early Tuesday after a short illness.

Mr. Simon was a radio operator.

Funeral services were scheduled to be held at 10 a.m. today at St. Mary's Catholic Church here with the Rev. Daniel Corkery officiating. Burial was to be in Ogden Cemetery under direction of Mulhearn Funeral Home of Winnsboro.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Lora Free of Archibald and Mrs. Perolee Smith of Monroe.

Mrs. Stewart

JONESBORO (Special) — Funeral services for Mrs. Georgia Stewart, 87, of Jonesboro, who died Tuesday, were scheduled to be held at 2 p.m. today at Pine Ridge Baptist Church in Pine Parish with the Rev. Edgar Gunter and the Rev. Izell Watson officiating.

Burial was to be in Pine Ridge Cemetery under direction of Southern Funeral Home of Jonesboro.

Mrs. Stinoff

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruby Stinoff of Vidalia, former Monroe resident, were to be held at 2 p.m. today at Mulhearn Funeral Home with the Rev. Walter G. Banard officiating.

Burial was to be in Hasley cemetery.

Sam Brown

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Harrison, Tex., for Sam Brown, stepfather of Mrs. Bera Jerdan of West Monroe.

I. D. Albert

RAYVILLE (Special) — Funeral services for I. D. Albert, 79, of Rayville, who died here Tuesday, will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Rayville Church of Christ with Grover Martin officiating.

Burial will be at Midway Cemetery near Epps under direction of Gay's Funeral Home of Delhi.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Emmie Albert of Rayville; three daughters, Mrs. James B. Jones of Waterproof, Mrs. June Ellis of West Monroe and Mrs. Elzie Jiles of St. Joseph; a son, Delbert Albert of Delhi; a sister, Mrs. Jeannett Scott of Oklahoma City, Okla.; a brother, Eugene Albert of St. Joseph and 21 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Palbegrers will be Elmer Tooke, Dr. Joe Haynes, Max Hollis, Alvin Smith, Bruce Williams and Wade Darnell.

Mrs. Thrash

WINNSBORO (Special) — Funeral services were scheduled to be held at 10 a.m. today in the First National Funeral Home here for Mrs. Elizabeth Townsend Thrash, 90, who died Tuesday morning in a local rest home.

The Rev. Clarence Young was to officiate and burial was to be in the Providence Memorial Gardens near Winnsboro.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Winnsboro and was a native of Scott County, Miss.

Survivors include two brothers, Ed Townsend of Winnsboro and Alvie Townsend of Forest, Miss.; a sister, Mrs. Nannie Parnell of Alabama and a host of nieces and nephews.

T. J. Plair

EL DORADO (Special) — Funeral services for Thomas J. Plair, 75, retired oil lease and royalty broker at El Dorado, who died in El Dorado Tuesday, were scheduled to be held at 2 p.m. today at Rumph Mortuary in El Dorado.

The Rev. Gary Jones was to officiate and burial was to be at the Strong, Ark., Cemetery.

Mr. Plair was born in Cleveland County, Ark., and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Glooson Plair. He had resided in El Dorado 41 years.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Annie Nunnally Plair; and three sons, Ray W. Plair of Monroe, Thomas Plair of San

Strike Command Maneuvers Set At Fort Polk

FT. POLK (Special) — The U.S. Strike Command will test its ability Thursday to deploy battle ready troops to a threatened area by dropping 750 paratroopers at DeRidder.

The joint rapid reaction Army-Air Force Airborne Training Exercise at Beauregard Parish Air Port in DeRidder, known as Joint Exercise One Shot II-65 will be a six-hour mission.

The maneuver is another of the series of U.S. Strike Command field readiness training exercise to keep the Army and Air Force strike forces prepared to conduct joint chiefs of staffs directed at rapid deployments to any threatened area of the free world.

This joint task force will be under the command of Col. Robert W. Teller of the U.S. Marine Corps.

Airborne troops will be airlifted from home base at Ft. Campbell, Ky., to a staging area at McDill. From McDill, the troop carriers will launch early Thursday and drop the paratroopers into the objective area at DeRidder.

After seizure of the objective, which will be defended by troops from Ft. Polk, the force will rescue three mythical hostages, execute a tactical withdrawal and return to the home station.

A similar exercise was held two years ago.

Poor Average

LONDON (UPI)—More than half of Britain's learner-drivers failed their driving tests during the six months ended Jan. 31, it was announced Tuesday.

Antonio, Tex., and Cecil Plair of El Dorado, and five grandchildren.

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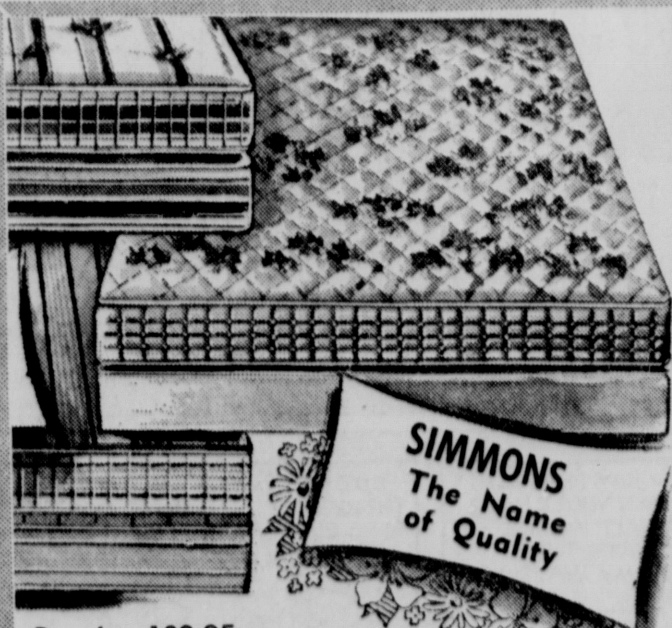
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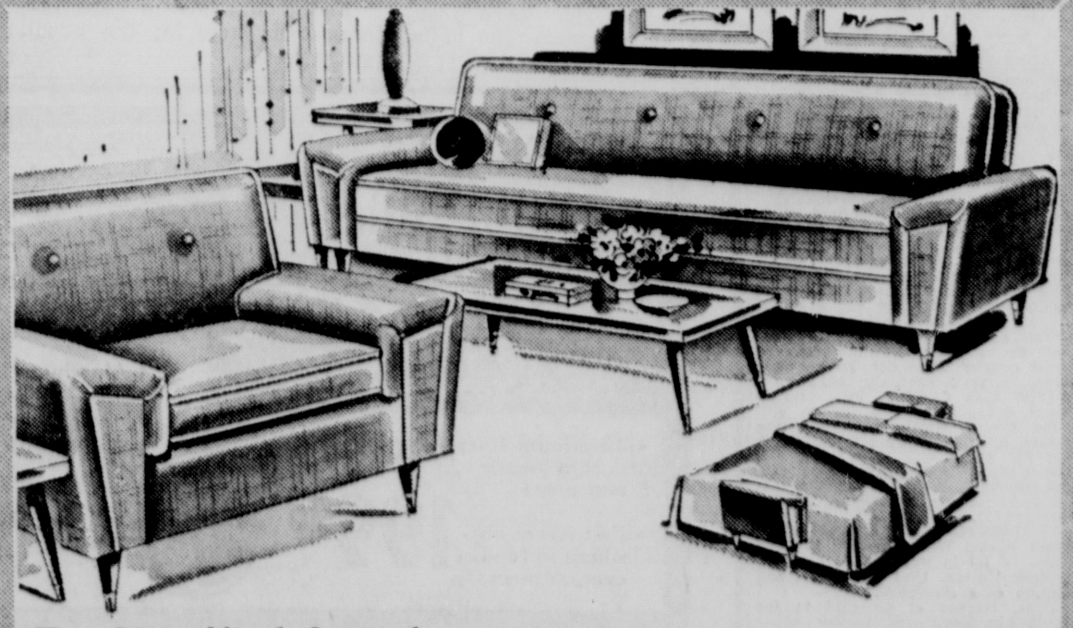
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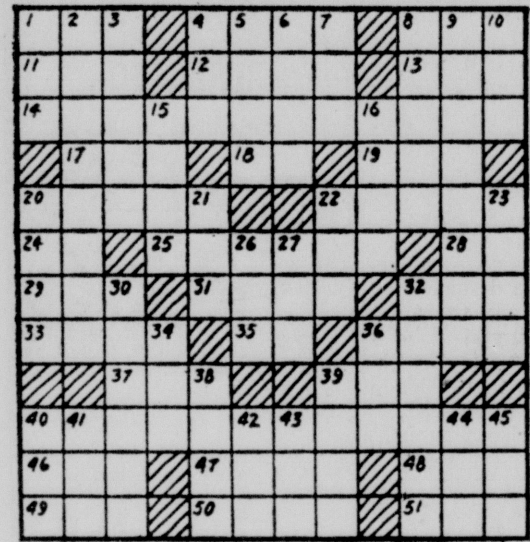
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Indian Tightens Belt During Crisis

By CONRAD FINK
NEW DELHI, India (AP) — The Indian consumer is being asked to tighten his belt a few more notches because a crisis in foreign exchange is threatening the nation's economy. Foreign exchange reserves — the money India has for purchase of goods abroad — have dropped drastically. Prime Minister Lal Bahadur Shastri's government, already under staggering commitments to foreign creditors, is seeking future loans so it can pay off past loans. Last week, the bank rate was raised to 6 per cent from 5. Finance Minister T. T. Krishnam said India would appeal to the "Aid India" consortium of nations and to the International Monetary Fund for all possible assistance. Earlier the government announced a 12 per cent cut across the board in authorizations for foreign exchange expenditures. All this has fallen on a public which had been preoccupied with language riots in south India, trouble along the border with Pakistan, and the incessant diplomatic shouting match with Communist China. Foreign exchange reserves slipped last year from \$233 million to \$200 million. Then a more dramatic dropoff began. The reserves totaled \$185 million Jan. 15 and \$169 million 22 days later. That isn't much for a nation of 480 million people who must purchase many things in foreign lands. Commerce Minister Manubhai Shah says an "austere import policy" will have to continue. That means the Indian consumer, even though his pockets cannot be stuffed with rupees, cannot look forward to a Japanese transistor radio for himself, a pair of German silk stockings for his wife, or an American refrigerator for the kitchen. It also means trouble for India's fourth five-year plan due to begin next year. Fertilizer of fertilizer manufacturing machinery is needed to increase farm output. Steel or steel-making equipment is needed to increase industrial production. Just as serious is the threat to India's credit rating. The nation is committed to pay \$3.6 billion to foreign creditors between April 1964 and March 1976. Its future repayment commitment to the United States totals more than \$2.1 billion. India must repay these loans in foreign exchange or renegotiate the terms to delay repayment. Officials hesitate to ask creditor nations for a moratorium on repayment because that would frighten other lenders. One reason for the foreign exchange crisis is an increasing unfavorable balance of trade. India imported \$871.5 million worth of goods more than it exported last year even though sales abroad were the highest ever.

Real Estate Transfers

The following real estate transfers are on record in the office of the Ouachita parish clerk: **CASH DEEDS** — Louisville Construction Co., Inc., sold to Mid-South Homes, Inc., lot 17 of block 77 of Layton's Third Addition for \$17,500. Louisville Construction Co., Inc., sold to Mid-South Homes, Inc., lot 8 of block 8 of the Tanglewood Heights Subdivision for \$2,100. Kenneth St. John Elliott sold to Harry Girard Proffit Jr., lots 1 and 2 of block 44 of the Cole Addition to Monroe for \$40,000. Johnnie G. Greer sold to Virgil A. Short lot 22 and the north half of lot 23 of square 36 of the Ouachita Cotton Mills Second Addition for \$13,500. Frazer Ice Sales, Inc., sold to Clarence A. Bass lot 13 of block 1 of the Theo Terzia Home Place Addition for \$16,000. W. V. Clark sold to Gordon C. Cummings lot 3 of block C of the Pargoud Place Addition, unit 10, for \$43,250. Harry Mosley Wilburn sold to Terence Works Sales lots 22 and 23 of block 2 of the Breard Investment Corp.'s Subdivision of portions of the Ziegler's Subdivision of the J. C. Ransom Estate for \$1,018.96. Harry Lee Baege et ux sold to Terence Works Sales lot 13 of block 7 of extension 2 of the Lakeshore Subdivision for assumption of a mortgage for \$17,033.77. First Fidelity Mortgage Co. sold to W. J. Driver lot 4 of block 78 of Layton's Third Addition for \$9,500. Lexie Denman Smart sold to Marvin Lee Smart lot 26 of square 80 of the Ouachita Cotton Mills Second Addition for assumption of a mortgage for \$3,471.96. Edw. P. George Jr., sold to Joe A. McQuiston 6.29 acre tract in the west half of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 22, township 19 north, range 5 east, for \$13,900. Van-Trow Olds Cadillac, Inc., sold to Van-Trow Accessories Corp., lot in unit 2 of the Benton Frost Subdivision and other lots in the Treasure Island Subdivision for \$2,000. Urkey Lumber Supply Co., Inc., sold to Noel Martin Roddey lot 4 of block D of unit 2 of the Jamar Heights Subdivision for \$22,750. **MORTGAGE DEEDS** — William Hasset Worsham sold to John M. Coats lot 14 in lots 9 and 10 of the North Park Village, Unit 1, for \$954 and assumption of a mortgage. Jerry N. Haynes et ux sold to the Equitable Life Assurance Society lot in block 14 of the Roselawn Addition for \$18,000. Mrs. Dorothy Elaine Curtis, et al., sold to Harold J. Miles the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 29, township 16 north, range 2 east, for \$12,500. La M. Facundus, Sr., et ux, sold to William P. Forbille lots 5 and 6 of block 1 of the Wilson Williams Addition for \$18,500. Bobby Walker sold to Truman Wright a tract in the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 19, township 18 north, range 5 east, less a portion already sold for \$100.

VOICE OF BROADWAY DOROTHY KILGALLEN

BROADWAY GRAPEVINE . . . Lex Barker, who was married to Arlene Dahl for a year or so way back in 1951, is on the verge of trying wedlock again. This time the lucky girl is Maria del Carmen Cervera — "Miss Spain" — and the ceremony is supposed to take place this month in Barcelona, if religious difficulties don't intervene . . . Carol Channing's ex-husband, Alex Carson, is headed for a divorce from Mary Jane Fenton Stevenson of Palm Beach after a brief try at harmony. Everything is expected to be amicable; they just "weren't suited" for each other . . . Weeks and weeks ago, those who knew Nat King Cole well were aware of the inevitable sad ending, and the stories that members of his family hoped for a recovery have a ring of fakery that the beloved singer would not have liked. He never had a chance, and they all knew it — even before he underwent surgery. Now, Capitol Records is reissuing all of his albums (there were more than 20) and Nat's fans are rushing to buy half-a-dozen at a time. Mike Cowles, at the suggestion of the State Dept., will visit Viet Nam. His trip will be "exploratory and unofficial," in case you find it fun to interpret governmental gobbledegook . . . Rita Hayworth's romance with Ali Ipar — once married to Virginia Bruce, who was once married to someone else — appears to be finished. Rita's chums think the reason was geographical; Ali likes to stay in Europe and she digs travel. Jerry Lewis, the comedian, is a darling guy but he needs new advisors. His current color-photo advertisements are unfortunate to put it mildly. Making fun of the physically afflicted is not funny . . . A Long Island hotel man has offered to take over the World's Fair, on lease, after this season. He claims he has enough backing to run it on a permanent basis, a la Disneyland. But it's not Disneyland, and there's no reason for him to imagine that he can pry it from Robert Moses . . . Quote from Connie Francis: "What's my professional ambition? That's easy. I'd like to get recognition as a comedienne. Some day soon I'd like to play a comedy role with no singing whatsoever. To me it seems the biggest thrill any performer can achieve is to make other people happy by making them laugh." City Hall reporters might ask Mayor Wagner why he hasn't filled nine vacancies in the Criminal Court judiciary — when crime is at its peak in our town. He's had time to escort mink clad ladies to social functions, but apparently the pressure of business has kept him from making the judicial appointments. (Could this have anything to do with retaining control of the State machine in the continuing Battle of Albany?) Bobo Rockefeller tried to do her bit for democracy during "Che" Guevara's visit to the United Nations in December; she had him to dinner at her home, and invited a select number of intelligent Americans as other guests. But the Cuban strong man made it clear in a three-hour dialogue that Communism is winning, religion is doomed, and revolution in the United States is inevitable. It might be smart if someone in this country took him seriously, as he takes himself. After all, Fidel Castro became the leader of Cuba while a great many leaders in our government were treating him as a loser. Mel Torme's new Gotham interest is Rita Gretcham, a Copacabana beauty who reminds people of Elizabeth Taylor . . . A Midtown spot has changed its policy drastically — but not for the reason given in the press releases. Actually, it had become the scene of so many brawls and knifings, the owners grew frightened . . . Singer Johnny Tillotson, who has a hit record in "Angel," has decided to live in New York permanently. He wants to attend acting classes and look hard for a leading part in a Broadway show. Cross out the plans of 20th Century-Fox to hire 1,000 musicians for the premiere of "The Sound of Music." The union would have adored it, but after reading about it in this column the Police Dept. said, more or less, "Are you kidding?" So the brass are burning the midnight oil trying to think of something that won't make traffic worse.

Lassie Wins 8th 'Patsy' Competition

By VERNON SCOTT
UPI Hollywood Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — The only performer in town to win three best acting awards (in a leading role) is Lassie, the indefatigable collie who dominates the PATSY competition. For the eighth straight year Lassie has been nominated as best animal actor in television. Since the inception of the awards back in 1958 Lassie has placed either first or second in the balloting, which is unprecedented among female impersonators in the animal kingdom. Lassie won the statuette in 1958, 1959 and 1964. Her owners, keepers and advisors will tell you that the canine star placed first every year, but that resentment was building among other four-footed performers — something like the old cry, "break up the Yankees." Thus, two dogs and a horse nosed out Lassie four straight years from 1960 through 1963. Asta, the dog in "The Thin Man" series, was the winner in 1960. Tramp of "My Three Sons" carried the day in 1961, and in 1962 and 1963 it was Mr. Ed, the talking horse. This year's nominations were made public by the American Humane Association, which sponsors the PATSYS. Sure enough, Lassie and Mr. Ed are in the running again. This time however, they face formidable competition from Flipper, the poodle. Also in the running is a silly goose named Hannibal from the "Daniel Boone" series, Higgins, the dog in "Petticoat Junction" and, of course, old reliable Tramp. PATSY stands for Performing Animal Television Star of the Year. It also is the abbreviation for picture animal top star of the year. On March 27 the animals, their trainers, press agents and other subordinates will meet for the award presentations.

Agent Gets Call As Expected

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Bernard C. Brown, new special agent in charge of the Louisville FBI office, told a reporter who asked if he had time for an interview Tuesday: "Better not now; never know when I'll be called out on a bank robbery." Four hours later a bank robbery call came in; the bandit got \$1,400.

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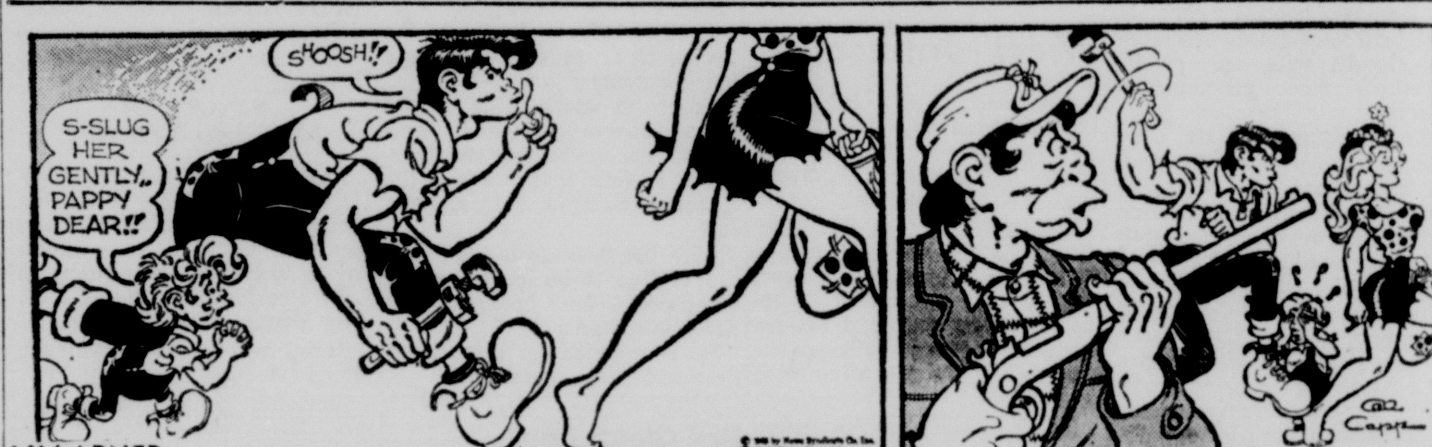
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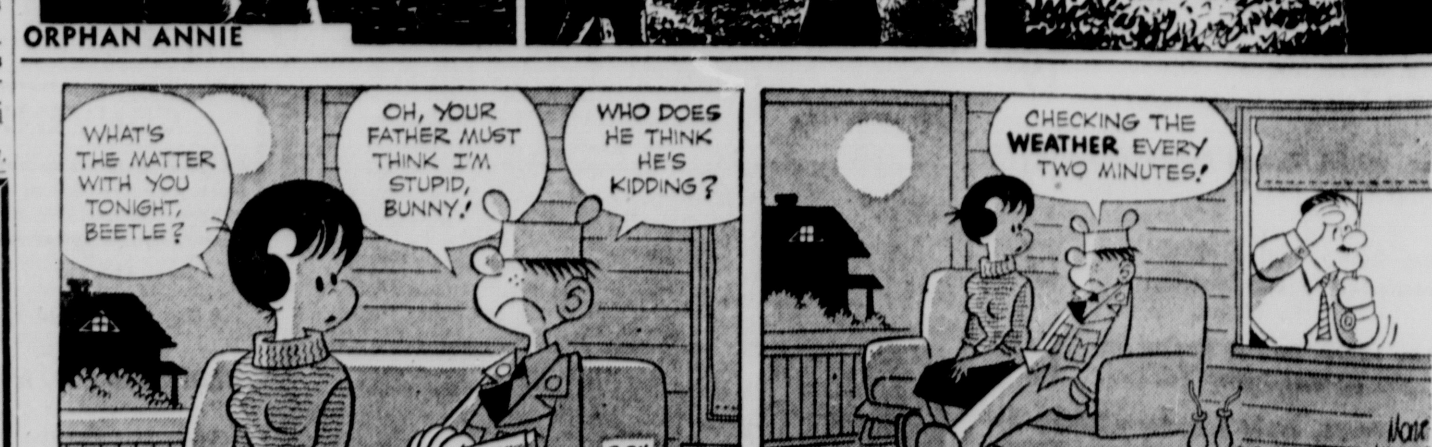
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EAST GERMAN President Walter Ulbricht, left, and Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser wave to crowds after Ulbricht arrived in Cairo today for the beginning of a one-week visit to the United Arab Republic. The visit of the East German Communist boss could lead to a diplomatic breach between West Germany and much of the Arab world. (AP Wire-photo)

Mardi Gras Festivities Threatened By Weather

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — The weather threatened to put a damper on Mardi Gras festivities in this carnival - mad city today, but the Knights of Babylon planned to hold its parade as scheduled tonight.

The weather bureau said a cold wave would roll in today, bringing showers and forcing temperatures down into the 40s by this afternoon and into the mid 30s tonight. Winds were expected to be from the north at 15-25 miles per hour.

Police Supt. Joseph Giarrusso said Tuesday he would put a quick end to another threat to the annual festivities which draw thousands of tourists—brawls spoiling for a fight.

He said 16 persons were arrested for assault and disturbing the peace at the first torchlight parade Monday night. Seven adults and six juveniles were arrested for carrying con-

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Gen Tel	37	up 1/4
Gulf Oil	55 1/4	up 1/4
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Int T&T	61	up 1/4
Johns Man, xd	40 1/4	off 1/4
Kennecott	103 1/4	up 3/4
Kerr McG	50 1/4	up 1/4
Lorillard	43 1/4	off 1/4
M M M	59 1/4	up 3/4
Mont Ward	38 1/4	up 3/4
NY Cent	54 1/4	up 1/4
Penney	66 1/4	off 1/4
Phillips P	56 1/4	up 3/4
Pittston	56	—
Procter G	75 1/4	up 1/4
RCA	32	up 3/4
Rey Tob	39 1/4	up 1/4
Safeway	39 1/4	off 1/4
Schlumberg	77 1/4	up 1 1/2
Sears RB	130 1/4	up 1/4
Shell Oil	60 1/4	up 3/4
Sinclair	54 1/4	up 1/4
Socony Mob	84 1/4	up 3/4
Std Oil N J	80 1/4	off 1/4
Sunray DX	32	off 1/4
Swift	62	off 1/4
Texaco	79	up 3/4
Tex Inst	100	off 1/4
Un Carbide	131 1/4	up 1/4
Ud Gas CP	37 1/4	up 1/4
U S Rubber, xd	64 1/4	up 3/4
U S Steel	53 1/4	up 7/8
Ud Utills	29 1/4	up 3/4
Xerox	126	up 3/4

WALL STREET CHATTER

NEW YORK (UPI) — Spear & Staff Inc. says that even though there is no advance assurance of continued prosperity in 1965, the outlook for stock market profits appears to favor selective purchases of second-hand shares, at least over the near-term.

The firm says that in perspective, an often reliable indicator in activity in low-priced situations over a period of many weeks. It believes this condition may be in the early development phase right now.

Investors Research Co. says a new try at the 900 level in the Dow - Jones industrial average should be watched carefully, for "should momentum falter in the new try, a change in investment emphasis could come about sooner than anticipated.

The International Statistical Bureau says this is an ideal time to maintain a sound market position, especially since it sees no indications of an end to the current upswing in the business cycle.

FRENCH MARKET

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — Farmer's French Mkt., USDA:

Supplies of most commodities liberal, trading slow.

Cabbage: 50-lb sacks \$1.25-1.50 per doz heads lge \$1.

Cardoni: Per beh 3-5 stalks \$1.

Beets: Per doz behs 90c.

Collards: Per doz behs 50c.

Escarole & endive: Per bu \$1.50.

Mustard: Per doz behs plain 90c-51.

Parsley: Per doz behs plain 25-40c.

Shallots: Per doz behs 50-60c.

Spinach: Per doz behs 75c.

Sweet potatoes: 50-lb crates US\$1 \$3.50-5; US\$2 \$3.25. 50 - lb sacks US\$2 \$2.50-3.

Turnips: Per doz behs 90c.

LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO (AP) — (USDA)—

Hogs 4,500; butchers about steady; 1-2 190-225 lb butchers mostly 17.75; bulk mixed 1-3 190-240 lbs 17.25-17.75; 2-3 240-270 lbs 16.50-17.25; 1-3 350-400 lb sows 15.00-15.50; 2-3 500-600 lbs 14.00-14.50.

Cattle 9,500; slaughter steers steady to 50 higher; three loads prime 1.275-1.315 lb slaughter steers 26.25; high choice and prime 1.150-1.400 lbs 25.25-26.00; choice 1,000-1,400 lbs 24.00-25.00; good 20.50-23.00; high choice 950-1,080 lb slaughter heifers 23.75-24.25; choice 800-1,100 lbs 23.00-23.75; good 19.50-22.00; utility and commercial cows 12.75-14.00; cutter to commercial bulls 16.00-19.00.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK (AP) — Steels

continued solidly ahead in a rallying stock market early this afternoon. Trading was heavy.

Airlines were other standouts, several reaching new highs.

The trend was generally higher among farm implements, building materials, nonferrous metals, chemicals, office equipments, photographic stocks, drugs and electronics.

Aerospace issues turned mixed, however, and utilities had no upward drive.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks at noon was up .9 at 334.9 with industrials up 2.1, rails off .1 and utilities up .1.

The Dow Jones industrial average at noon was up 3.78 to 895.74.

Jones & Laughlin rose more than a point, Bethlehem and U.S. Steel about a point each.

International Harvester, in a continuation of strength, moved up more than 2. Zenith and IBM also were ahead about 2.

General Motors and Ford edged higher.

Borden advanced more than a point to a new high following a 2-for- stock split proposal.

Prices advanced generally in active trading on the American Stock Exchange.

Corporate bonds were mixed. U.S. government bonds advanced.

DOW-JONES

Dow Jones 11 am averages:

30 Industrials 895.79 up 3.83

20 Rails 211.81 up 0.12

15 Utilities 160.53 off 0.05

65 Stocks 314.44 up 0.78

Sales to 11 am 1,910,000 shares.

Judge Revokes Man's Probation

Judge Jesse S. Heard, presiding in Fourth District Court Tuesday, revoked probation of a West Monroe man, Dennis Wayne Chavers, for violation of probation.

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School Absentees Back On Rise In City And Parish

Absenteeism was back on the rise today in local schools as cold, rainy weather moved into the Twin City area.

Parish school officials reported this morning that absenteeism ranged from 20 per cent at Calhoun to 24 per cent at Ransom. Supt. Van D Odom said it jumped from 7 per cent in the city system Tuesday to 12.41 per cent today.

"Because of this rainy weather, I imagine a lot of parents kept their children home today," Odom said.

Youngsters have been missing school because of flu, colds, sore throats and other ills.

A spot check in the parish system showed absenteeism was running as follows:

Lenwil, 19 per cent; Lake-shore, 13 per cent; Kiroli, 9 per cent; Ouachita Junior High, 18 per cent; Riser, 19 per cent; West Monroe High School, 13 per cent; West Monroe Junior High, 13 per cent; Claiborne, 18 per cent; and Millsaps, 16 per cent.

Two Local Men Named To Posts

CHICAGO, Ill. (Special) — O. A. Easterling Sr., president, and J. C. Steele Jr., a director of Peoples Homestead and Savings Association in Monroe, have been appointed to 1965 committees of the United States Savings and Loan League.

Easterling will serve on the insurance committee, and Steele will serve on the committee on FSLIC law and regulations.

The appointments were announced today by John W. Stadler of Washington, D.C., president of the U. S. League, which is the national trade organization for the savings and loan business and represents more than 5,100 savings associations.

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JUMBLE — that scrambled word game

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

REBET

CUJE

TUPYED

ANIZIN

Print the SURPRISE ANSWER here

Yesterday's Jumbless: MONEY AGONY DONKEY SOCIAL

Answers: What a big sale might be — "NO MAN'S LAND"



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Two Remanded In District Court

Judge Mack E. Barham, presiding in Fourth District Court, today remanded two persons until March 5 when they will be sentenced on felony counts.

Pre-sentence investigations were ordered on the two men, Willis Banks, and Maurice J. Laird, before they are returned to court.

Banks, of Winnsboro, pleaded guilty to armed robbery, and Laird, 814 N. 4th St., West Monroe, forgery and theft.

In other actions, Judge Barham fined Pharris E. Hanley, 1107 S. 7th St., Monroe, to a total of \$400 and costs for driving while under the influence of intoxicating beverages, resisting an officer and no driver's license.

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TELEVISION

(The radio and television schedules contained in this column are published as a courtesy and a service to the readers of this newspaper. The newspaper is not responsible for any inaccuracies in the schedules which are supplied by the stations concerned.) (C) indicates color program.

WEDNESDAY

KNOE-TV—Channel 8
3:30—Jack Benny
4:00—Trailmaster
5:00—Mccall Comes Calling
5:30—Cronkite
6:00—News
6:15—Weather
6:30—Sports
6:45—Maverick
7:00—Hillbillies
7:30—Dick Van Dyke
8:00—Have Gun, Will Travel
9:00—Danny Kaye

KTYE-TV—Channel 10
4:30—Funtime
5:00—Movie
5:15—News
5:25—Weather
5:30—Huntley-Brinkley
6:00—Donna Reed
6:30—Virginia (C)
6:45—Movie
7:00—News, Weather
7:10—Sports
7:30—Valentine's Day
11:00—Tonight (C)

KTBS-TV, Shreveport, La.—Channel 3
3:00—Trailmaster
4:00—Superman
4:30—Lone Ranger
5:00—Woody Woodpecker
5:30—News
5:45—The Rifleman
6:00—Ozzie and Harriet
6:30—Party Duke Show
7:00—Shindig
7:30—Burke's Law
9:30—Valentine's Day

KSLA, Shreveport, La.—Channel 12
4:00—Cronkite
4:30—News
4:45—Weather
5:00—Huntley-Brinkley
5:30—News
5:45—The Rifleman
6:00—Ozzie and Harriet
6:30—Party Duke Show
7:00—Shindig
7:30—Burke's Law
9:30—Valentine's Day

KALB, Alexandria, La.—Channel 5
4:00—Bibleman
4:30—Ethel Merman
5:00—Woody Woodpecker
5:30—Huntley-Brinkley
5:45—News
6:00—Movie
6:15—Weather
6:30—Sports
6:45—Maverick
7:00—Hillbillies
7:30—Dick Van Dyke
8:00—Have Gun, Will Travel
9:00—Danny Kaye

WJTV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 12
4:00—General Hospital
4:30—Sergeant Preston
4:45—Lone Ranger
5:00—Woody Woodpecker
5:30—Cronkite
6:00—Byline Channel 12
6:15—Ozzie and Harriet
6:30—Kentucky Jones
7:00—Hillbillies
7:30—Dick Van Dyke
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WLBT-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 3
4:00—Father Knows Best
4:30—Huntley-Brinkley
5:00—Sports
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RADIO

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KWKH, Shreveport, La.—1130 KC, FM 94.5 MC
5:00—Morning
5:15—Swamp Shop
5:30—News, Farm Markets
5:45—Ark-La-Tex Jubilee
6:00—Total Info News
6:15—Contact
6:30—Sports Desk, Contact
6:45—Harvey, Info, News
7:00—Contact, News
7:15—Breakfast Club, News
7:30—Open House, News
7:45—Open House, News
8:00—Open House, News

KUZN—1310 KC
5:00—Total Info News
5:15—Contact
5:30—Sports Desk, Contact
5:45—Harvey, Info, News
6:00—Contact, News
6:15—Breakfast Club, News
6:30—Open House, News
6:45—Open House, News
7:00—Open House, News

KTRV—730 KC
5:00—Total Info News
5:15—Contact
5:30—Sports Desk, Contact
5:45—Harvey, Info, News
6:00—Contact, News
6:15—Breakfast Club, News
6:30—Open House, News
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KMAR—1570 KC
5:00—Total Info News
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6:00—Contact, News
6:15—Breakfast Club, News
6:30—Open House, News
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KTCO—920 KC
5:00—Total Info News
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5:45—Harvey, Info, News
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KTDL—1470 KC
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HOSTS QUITE GRACIOUS
MIAMI, Fla., (AP) — A New York woman, dashing to catch a plane for the first leg of a flight to Florida, boarded the Kennedy family's private plane Caroline by mistake, but went along anyway.

Blanche Griswold, en route from Saranac Lake, N.Y., to New York City to catch a plane for Miami, says she was very embarrassed, "but the Kennedy family seemed pleased and didn't mind at all."

Aboard the Caroline, returning to New York Monday from a skiing holiday at Lake Placid, were Mrs. John F. Kennedy, Sen. Robert Kennedy, D-N.Y., and the Kennedy brood.

In Ithaca, N.Y., Sen. Kennedy confirmed that a woman mistook the family plane for a commercial airliner and said: "She was a very nice woman. But she thought it was very crowded for a commercial plane."

Stopped by an FBI agent, she

said she told them she was going to Florida and entered the plane when the agent had no objection.

"Inside, it didn't look right," Mrs. Griswold recalled. "It was small and I saw Mrs. Kennedy and Bobby and lots of children."

The plane was almost airborne when she noticed tables between the seats and remarked: "This is a waste of space."

"This plane isn't supposed to make money, this is the Kennedy plane," she was told by a member of the Kennedy group.

During the flight "children ran around and we had lunch—sandwiches," she said, adding that the Kennedy family was concerned about her plans.

Mrs. Griswold said both the senator and the former first lady wished her a good trip and said they were pleased to have her aboard.

"It was our pleasure," Mrs. Griswold quoted the senator as saying when the plane landed at La Guardia Field in New York.

"They were most gracious. They knew my embarrassment," Mrs. Griswold said.



ACTRESSES DEBBY Reynolds (left) Sophia Loren (center) and Julie Andrews are pictured in the roles which Tuesday won them three of the five nominations for Academy Award best actress Oscars. Their nominations were for "The Unsinkable Molly Brown," "Marriage Italian Style" and "Mary Poppins." Also nominated were Kim Stanley and Anne Bancroft. The winner will be named April 5. (AP Wirephoto)

COOLING PERIOD AHEAD?

Steel Furnaces Question Mark

By SAM DAWSON
AP Business News Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — The nation's steel furnaces are the one big question mark in today's prosperous domestic economy. How long will they keep turning out record tonnage?

Will they be cooled down by a strike and if so, when? Or will production be slowed later in the year by overstocking by consumers now?

Steel shipments are rising. But so are new orders. Some mills report orders coming in faster than shipments can rise, so that delivery time is being stretched out. In a few instances there are allocations.

There is talk also of extending the labor contract past the May 1 cutoff date, while the factions of the United Steelworkers of America settle their leadership battle and heal the scars.

Some say this postponement

70 Cases Heard In City Court Activity Tuesday

Judge W. M. Harper, presiding over a session of Monroe City Court Tuesday, handled 70 cases, mostly bond forfeitures on minor violations.

Marion R. McLeod, 3707 Lee Ave., Monroe, was fined \$425 and costs, or seven months in jail, for driving while under the influence of intoxicating beverages.

William Edward Adams, Monroe city jail, was fined \$100 and costs for theft of a transistor radio.

Pleading guilty to reckless driving charges were Edward L. Stringer, 1009 North 3rd., Monroe, \$15 fine; and Gerald Johnson, of Collinston, \$15 fine. Two persons, both of Monroe, forfeited \$40 bond each for reckless driving: Earl E. Price, 3801 Lee Ave., and Leon Reed, 409 Magnolia.

A total of 26 speeding cases appeared on the court docket. Fined after pleading guilty to the charge were Eugene J. Beaudry, Jr., Rt. 2, Box 140, Monroe, \$38; Willie A. Saucier, 112 W. Fairway Drive, West Monroe, \$38; Michael O. Steed, of Jena, \$10; Warren Landrum, 1201 Park Ave., \$13; Joseph G. Files, of Bastrop, \$20; and Stephen J. Bergeron, 803 Eason Place, Monroe, \$40.

The following persons from Monroe forfeited bonds on speeding charges: Christine Brannon, 1510 Cole Ave., \$8; Anna T. Carr, 505 Wilson, \$20; Jessie G. Freeman, 707 Matthew, \$8; John H. Floyd, 2905 Fort Miro Road, \$18; Phillip S. Fishman, 210 Country Club Road, \$18; James E. Hudson, 1500 South 9th, \$13; Arthur Ben Knight, Rt. 2, \$13; James W. Odom, 903 Downey Lane, \$13; Stanley R. Palowsky Jr., Rt. 4, Box 319, \$18; Ruth R. Ray, 201 Glenmar, \$20; Allen L. Hines, 700 Bryant, \$13; Mary S. Kuyndell, 200 Mulberry, \$18; and Archie Blevins, 2930 Renwick, \$40.

Six persons forfeited bonds on the speeding charge from West Monroe, including Kerry D. Averette, 307 Haines, \$18; Walter L. Cash, 2603 North 10th, \$18; Willie V. Clark, 105 Claiborne, \$30; Paul L. Harris, 307 Oakland, \$8; James F. Mock, 406 Chickasaw, \$20; and Charles E. Nugent, 201 Rosewood Drive, \$30. Also forfeiting \$20 bond on speeding was Yvonne Via Norman, of Bastrop.

Minor cases included 14 for disturbing the peace, 13 for failure to yield, nine for running red lights, and one for vagrancy.

Fusiliers Slate Orleans Trip

Northeast Louisiana State College's military precision marching unit, the Fusiliers, will march in two Mardi Gras parades this weekend in New Orleans.

The unit, composed of 30 ROTC cadets, leaves Northeast Friday for the Crescent City. They will participate in the Venus parade Saturday and the Iris parade Sunday, competing for parade honors with other military marching units.

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Sheriff Clark Receives Aid Offers In Mail

SELMA, Ala. (AP) — Sheriff James G. Clark, leaning back in his chair at his courthouse office, said offers from white persons wanting to help him stop the Negro demonstrations here had been coming from many areas of Alabama.

"I have had offers from surrounding counties and some from halfway across the state — people wanting to come in here," the big, soft-spoken sheriff said.

"Some people have offered to come in here and kill some of these niggers — I don't know whether I ought to say that," he went on, fingering a stack of letters on his cluttered desk.

"I have told them to stay out."

Clark said that if he had not discouraged such offers from angry segregationists then violence would have descended on this city of about 30,000, where Negroes have been pushing a voter registration drive for more than five weeks.

Clark, an Air Force gunner in World War II, has shed his military looking khaki uniform and white helmet in favor of a coat and tie during the past week.

"I have gained up to 225 on these sandwiches and milk," the 42-year-old sheriff remarked, referring to his diet during the civil rights campaign in which he has arrested hundreds of Negroes.

"I think it is very good," the sheriff said, "that I am the only person who has been injured in this." He was struck in the face by a Negro woman during a demonstration.

Clark, however, amended his statement when reminded that the Rev. C. T. Vivian, a Negro leader, was injured when Clark struck the clergyman during another demonstration last week.

"I've got a pinched nerve in my neck and a fracture of my finger from trying to get Vivian to turn loose my stick. He ran over another man and fell down and split his lip," Clark said.

The sheriff said he had no objection to Negroes registering to vote. "What I can't understand is their methods," he said.

Clark charged that some of the news reports from Selma had been distorted. He said that some reporters "don't realize I have nothing in the world to do with registration."

Clark had plastered the bulletin board in his outer office with dozens of telegrams, clippings and letters from persons favoring his stand others denouncing him.

On his desk were three stacks of letters. It appeared there were about 200 letters all together.

"That's the day's mail," Clark said.

A telegram on the bulletin board read: "Congratulations on a job well done." It was from a man in Sabinal, Tex.

Others praising Clark came from California; Washington, D.C.; Miami, Fla.; Detroit, Mich.; and Tulsa, Okla. There was a clipping of a newspaper editorial criticizing Clark and carrying a photo of the sheriff. Stuck into the sheriff's pictures were six straight pins.

"Most shameful exhibition since Hitler's regime," read a telegram from a man in St. Paul, Minn.

The sheriff said his mail was running about 70 per cent in his favor.

One telegram was from St. Augustine, Fla., where racial demonstrations brought repeated outbreaks of violence last year and seriously hurt tourist business.

Signed by Herbie L. Wiles, president of the St. Johns County Chamber of Commerce, the message said: "We understand and appreciate your problem in Selma. Our hearts and our feelings are with you and your people."

(1) Legal Notices

SUCCESSION OF CARL E. LANDERS NO. 17,662, PROBATE DOCKET STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF OUCHITA, FOURTH DISTRICT COURT Pursuant to an Order of this Court dated January 19, 1965, in the above captioned matter, the undersigned, Administrator of the Succession of Carl E. Landers, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims or demands against the Succession of Carl E. Landers, to file the same with the undersigned, Administrator, on or before the 22nd day of January, 1965.

Item IV, Lot 9 of Block 10 of Marie Place Realty, Inc.'s Subdivision of Marie Place, a subdivision of portion of Parcel 10, as shown on plat of said Subdivision on file and of record in Plat Book 7, page 41 of the records of Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.

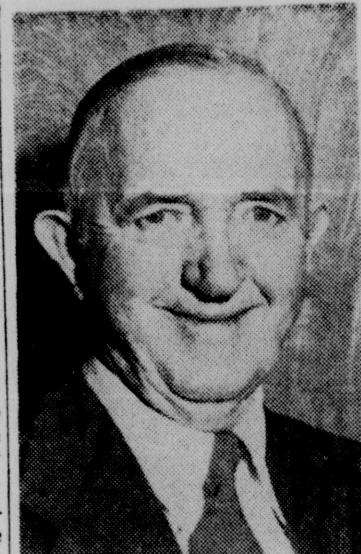
Notice is hereby given that all heirs, legatees or creditors of said Succession must file their opposition to said proposed sale within ten (10) days from date of the last publication of this notice, as the law directs; otherwise said sale will be made as directed by law.

Witness the Honorable Judges Jesse S. Heard, Mack E. Barham and Wilbur S. Parker, this 22nd day of January, 1965.

DEPUTY CLERK OF COURT OUCHITA PARISH, LOUISIANA

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STAN LAUREL

Heart Attack Claims Comic Stan Laurel

By GENE HANDSAKER

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Stan Laurel, the little, rubber-faced partner of the late, 300-pound Oliver Hardy in the movies' most successful comedy team, is dead of a heart attack at 74.

Victim of a stroke in 1955 and of diabetes in later years, he suffered the fatal seizure Tuesday in his bluff-top apartment overlooking the ocean. His fourth wife, Ida, was at his side.

Laurel and Hardy starred in 300 silent films, mostly two- and three-reelers, and made millions laugh.

They were the 30's slapstick kings and their films still are shown regularly on television and in theaters around the world.

Fans remember Laurel as the crop-haired, bungling yet lovable scamp, who, wearing a blank, stupid expression, inevitably brought disaster to his fat, exasperated partner.

Babe Hardy used to say Laurel was the brains of their act.

Stan wrote and directed many of their films.

In a stock situation, the skinny Laurel and the rotund Hardy were at odds with authority — landlord, grim mother-in-law or chief of police. They always lost — except at the box office.

Laurel was born Arthur Stanley Jefferson June 16, 1890, in Ulverston, England, the son of a theatrical family. Spending much of his childhood in dressing rooms and railroad stations, he toured with his parents in English stock companies. He later attended King James Grammar School, Gainford School and Tynemouth College.

His stage debut at 7 was in "Lights of London." At 15 he toured Europe on his own song and dance act. At 17 he joined Fred Arno's London comedians, starring Charlie Chaplin.

The company arrived in New York in 1910 on a cattle boat, toured the country for three years and disbanded. Stan went into vaudeville, then the flickers.

He started as a writer and director. Then one day, in 1927, he replaced an actor who had taken sick and played a butler opposite a hefty comic villain named Hardy. They were an instant success.

Their heyday was in films for the late producer Hal Roach. They made many pictures for him before moving in 1940 to 20th Century-Fox. They kept no property rights to the old films, so reaped no rewards when they later were shown on television.

Their movies included "Babes in Toyland," "Devil's Broth-ers," "Way Out West," "Our Relations," "Blockheads" and "Bonnie Scotland."

They made their last film, "Atoll K," in France in 1949. Hardy died in 1957.

Besides his widow, Laurel leaves a daughter Lois, of suburban Tarzana. Her husband, A. H. Brooks, is a movie production man.

Laurel was married eight times to four women.

His second, third and seventh bride, Virginia Ruth Rogers, once remarked: "He's a good boy, really, but he has a marrying complex."

Laurel's first marriage, to Lois Neilson, ended in 1933 in divorce. In 1934 he married Miss Rogers. Finding the 1933 decree had not become final, he married her a second time. Divorce came in 1936.

In 1938 Laurel married Russian dancer Iliana. When a question about his last divorce arose, he married Iliana again.

In 1938 they were wed a third time, by a priest of her Russian Orthodox faith, but they were divorced in 1939. Laurel's first remarriage to Virginia Ruth Rogers ended like the others.

He and his Russian-born last wife, the former Ida Kitaeva Raphael, were married May 6, 1946, in Yuma, Ariz.

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(27) Help Wanted, Female

SECRETARY WANTED for well established GENERAL INSURANCE AGENCY. Experience necessary. Write Box 212, News-Star, World, stating qualifications. Salary commensurate with experience.

HOUSEWIVES - Luthers offers a career to the ambitious woman. For interview write Office Strozler, Rt. 1, W.M. FA 2-2133.

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WANTED-COUNTER GIRL MUST HAVE HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION WITH TYPING. APPLY MONROE STEAM LAUNDRY.

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CHEVROLET dealership. Thirty to forty years experience. Good character and health. Prefer Chevrolet certified technician. High school education required. Some college desired. Not a replacement job, but one created by increased business. Ideal working conditions. Top salary plus commission and fringe benefits. Furnish qualifications. Write Box 210 News-Star.

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The position is for that of **BRANCH MANAGER** for our Monroe area. Compensation for this position is commensurate with experience, travel allowance and incentive compensation. This is an outstanding opportunity for the right man who wants to build his own agency. If you are this man, write brief resume to: **Branch Manager, 221 Carondelet Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.**

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THE NEW automatic Electroflux cleaner. Over 25 years of use. No investment. Opportunity for better than average earnings. For personal interview, apply 1022-1023.

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(29) Help Wtd., Male/Female

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HELP WANTED: Woman or couple to work in children's home. Full room and board plus salary. High school graduate. Write Box 217, News-Star - World.

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(30) Salesmen—Agents Wtd.

OUTSTANDING opportunity for experienced salesmen. Must have 5 to 10 years. Qualified leads furnished. Must own transportation. Apply 191 Roselawn.

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EXPERIENCED bookkeeper, payroll, typing. Some shorthand. Ph. 322-0903.

(32) Work Wanted, Male

EXPERIENCED carpenter needs work. Dial FA 2-549.

FINANCIAL

(33) Business Opportunities

BY owner, new unit brick apt. house furnished. Write Box 215 News-Star.

OPPORTUNITY

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A TORNADO slammed into the south end of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., Tuesday causing extensive damage to a trailer park and overturning a truck at the edge of the park. Six persons were reported injured. The tornadoes came out of a squall line hurtling across the state causing damage in six communities. (AP Wirephoto)

Here Is Text Of Statement To Commission

BATON ROUGE (Special) — Here is the text of a statement released today by Ed West of Monroe, president of the Independent Retail Grocers Association of Northeast Louisiana. The statement was issued before the Louisiana Milk Commission.

We the Independent Retailers of Northeast Louisiana do hereby wish to enter the following statements to be made a permanent part of the record of the hearing. Realizing the unfairness of the milk pricing for Area 5, we wish the following to be brought out at the hearing.

Number 1 — For the past 29 to 30 months or so Areas 1 and 2 have received a discount on milk that our Area has been denied. Also, Area Number 1 has received a 1 cent better price per half gallon on milk.

Number 2 — Our customers have had to pay this 1 cent more at retail than Area Number 1 customers. We believe these practices to be unjust and unfair to both the merchants and consumers.

If a volume discount should be granted for our Area it would probably exclude the smaller type merchants. We wish to recommend a state wide price of 46 cents minimum wholesale and a 52 cent minimum at retail. This would eliminate problems at both levels. We do not wish the dairy farmers price to be lowered and go on record in full support of a \$6.57 price to be paid the dairy farmers for class 1 milk. The processor has realized more than his share of milk profits for several years and we believe that it is only fair for the merchants and consumers to share more equally on a state wide basis.

We would like representation on the commission as we feel we are an important part of the orderly movement of milk. We believe it to be similar to taxation without representation as the commission now operates.

We strongly protest the price increase on ice cream, melon, and ice milk. We feel that the commission is denying our lower income customers the right to purchase a dessert within their budget. Sales since the

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Meeting

BATON ROUGE (UPI)—Gov. John J. McKeithen has called a meeting Friday of the recently appointed Louisiana Science Foundation Board.

The board will meet with McKeithen at 11 a.m. in the governor's office.

The group will select a site for the proposed Gulf South Research Institute.

Suit Filed

NEW ORLEANS (UPI)—Widows of two men killed in last year's crash of an Eastern Airlines jet in Lake Pontchartrain have filed a total of \$2 million worth of damage suits in federal court.

The lawsuits filed Tuesday brought the total in the crash up to \$5 million. All came from the crash of an Eastern DC8 near New Orleans Feb. 23, 1964. All 58 persons aboard perished.

The suits filed Tuesday listed Eastern, Douglas Aircraft Co., Inc., Gianni Controls Corp., ad a list of insurance firms as defendants.

Promotions

BATON ROUGE (AP)—Highway Director A. L. Stewart Tuesday announced two key promotions in his department.

N. P. Himbert, veteran highway auditor, was named to the new post of assistant highway director in charges of business administration and Lawes J. Lanzo was named auditor to succeed Himbert.

Decision Upheld

NEW ORLEANS (UPI)—The Louisiana Supreme Court Tuesday upheld a Baton Rouge district judge's decision cancelling a Public Service Commission telephone rate hike in the Baton Rouge area.

The decision cancelled the commission order raising rates for direct non - long distance lines between Geismar and Baton Rouge from \$27 to \$75 per month per circuit.

Senators Slate Washington Trip

BATON ROUGE (Special) — Two Louisiana senators, Spencer Myrick of Oak Grove and Charles Brown of Tallulah announced plans Tuesday to lead a delegation to Washington on Friday to attempt to gain a boost in northeastern Louisiana's rice acreage.

Southern Louisiana's rice belt is the major rice production region of the state, but the northeastern portion produces about 23 per cent of the state's total.

Myrick said they would confer with U.S. Sens. Allen J. Ellender and Russell B. Long and with Louisiana representatives on the matter.

Polk Trainees Have Meningitis

FT. POLK, La. (UPI)—Two Army trainees have been admitted to the hospital here seriously ill with meningitis, it was announced today.

The Army said, however, that privates Thomas G. Harper, 17, Chatham, La., and James E. Anthony, 21, Covina, Calif., are responding well to treatment.

It was the third case of meningitis reported at this sprawling Army base today.

Col. Harold G. Stacey, the Army hospital commander, said several health safety measures had been put into effect to insure against an outbreak of the disease.

3-Car Accident Injures 3 Here

A three-car accident on Louisville Avenue early today resulted in three persons being injured, none believed seriously, and one of the drivers booked for following too closely.

Injured were Baxter Brasher, 31, 105 Pineway Dr., West Monroe; Raymond Springer, 41, 1324 N. 7th St., West Monroe, and David Osborn, 14, of Monroe.

According to investigating officers of the Monroe police department, Shirley J. Smith, 1113 N. 2nd St., Monroe, was traveling east on Louisville Avenue, when she had to slow down for traffic. Ivy Hinton, 2004 Wellerman Rd., West Monroe, was following the Smith vehicle and also applied the brakes to slow down, when he was struck from the rear by a vehicle driven by Lois M. Clark, 244 Duncan Circle, West Monroe. The impact knocked the Hinton vehicle into the Smith car.

Police ticketed Lois Clark for following too closely.

In another accident early today, Lawrence Doyle Jr., Negro, 27, 711 Rear Adams St., Monroe, was injured slightly when his vehicle was involved in a collision at Cooper and Freeman.

Police reported Doyle was traveling north on Freeman Street and Lem Williams, Negro, 24, 3523 Cooper St., Monroe, going east on Cooper when the accident occurred.

Williams was booked for failure to yield the right-of-way.

Monroe police were investigating a burglary at Edwards Transmission Co., 3016 Breard St.

E. R. Edwards, 400 Grayling Lane, reported the burglary.

A 19-year-old Swartz youth, Jerry L. Bond, was booked for burglary early today after being apprehended in the residence of a neighbor shortly after midnight.

Richard Hare of Swartz called the department and said he was holding a youth he had caught in his home, after being awakened by the intruder. No bond was set early today.

Two south Louisiana men are free on bonds totaling \$1,750 each on charges of burglary and automobile theft.

Sheriff Bailey Grant identified the two as Clifford Richoux, 17, Westwego, and Billy Gay, 17, Bogalusa.

They are charged with burglary of the American Taxidermy Studios, Highway 80 East, Monroe, and theft of an automobile from a used car lot at 1717 Winnsboro Road, Monroe, Sunday night. The car was found abandoned near Hattiesburg, Miss.

Taken in the burglary was a rifle and a bow-and-arrow set.

Monroe police booked Jimmie Ray Millikin, 20, 3335 Ash St., Independence, Mo., for DWI. He was apprehended at North Fourth and Pine Streets at 10:48 p.m. Tuesday.

Reach Agreement

BRUSSELS (UPI)—Agricultural ministers of the six nations in the European Common Market agreed today on new regulations for the community's multi-million dollar fruit and vegetable trade.

An all-night session also produced agreement on prices to be paid farmers for beef and milk in the coming year.

Members of the market are France, West Germany, Italy, The Netherlands, Belgium and Luxembourg.

Coggins Elected By Coin Club

Bill Coggins was elected president of the Monroe Area Coin Club Tuesday night, succeeding Stanley Grube who has headed the hobby group for the past year.

Also elected to serve with Coggins were C. L. Hinton, vice president; Mrs. Jack Singley, re-elected secretary; Jack Singy, re-elected sergeant-at-arms; and J. L. Anders, reporter.

Elected to the board of directors were J. L. Anders, Stanley Ketchell, Hugh Taylor, John Corbin and Bill Minor.

During the club's business session it was voted to schedule a minimum of 12 educational programs each year for members and visitors who care to attend club meetings. A proposal also was approved to schedule regular auction sales for junior collectors.

The quarterly door prize awarded was a 1909-S Lincoln cent.

The coin club meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at 7:30 in the community meeting room of the First National Bank of West Monroe. All meetings are open to visitors.

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